(Continued from Page One)

will not be used for the sewage system at this time; however, the state is requiring the school system to acquire enough land to accommodate additions in the

. In regards to personnel, the board approved the following actions:

Certificated Grant catastrophic leave under the Family and Medical Leave Act to Heather Templin for the purpose of maternity leave. Mrs. Templin is a resource teacher at New Brockton Elementary School.

Accept the resignation of Anissa Tillis, clerical aide at Kinston School, effective Aug.

Support

27. 2004

Employ Rene Farris as secretary/bookkeeper at New Brockton Elementary School Employ Mary Mack as clerical aide at Kinston School.

Chapel.

# SEPTEMBER 10-16

M-F 7:10 & 9:10 - S&S 2, 7:10 & 9:10 - THE COOKOUT (PG M-F 7 ONL) - 8&8 2:00 & 7:00 ANACONDAS: (PG-

HUNT FOR THE BLOOD ORCHID M-F 9:00 ONLY - 8&S 9:00 ONLY - PAPARAZZI (PG-1 M-F 7 & 9:00 - S&S 2, 7 & 9:00 No Passes - No Wed Night Discount

THE PRINCESS DIARIES 2 WICKER PARK M-F 9:20 ONL) - S&S 9:20 ONL

M-F 7 & 9 - 8&8 2, 7 & 9:00 - WITHOUT A PADDLE (PG-13 M-F 7:15 & 9:15 , S&S - 2, 7:15 & 9:1 - HERO -F 7 & 9:10 - 8 & 8 2, 7 & 9:10



CHRIS AND BOBBY WEST, of Brantley, were gathering corn on Tuesday, August 24th and as they Accept the resignation of Kyra were putting corn into corn bins, they happened up on this four and half foot rattlesnake. Chris quick-Cardwell, secretary/bookkeeper ly shot the raittler but noticed something appeared to be moving inside the dead snake. The 20 baby ratat Zion Chapel, effective Aug. tlers shown with her in this picture started coming out of the mother snake, one at a time. The mother social activities to those persons. Anyone over the age of 50 who had apparently taken the babies into her body for their protection.

### Former Zion Chapel student writes novel

LUNCH

English Reas, Buttered Carrolls,

Thursday-Steak Sandwigh,

Roll: Peach Cup. Milk

Apple Sauce, Milk

on Cob. 1/2 Apple, Milk

SEAL. Damon Powers, one who fights back. September 13-17, 2004

Monday-BlueBerry Muffin, Monday - Hamburger, French Cheese, Cereal, Juice, Milk Pickles, Ice Cream, Milk Tuesday -Pancake Pup/Syrup Tuesday - Chicken Wiggle Cereal, Juice, Milk Wednesday - Biscuit & Jelly Wednesday - Taco Salad, Com

BREAKFAST

Thursday -Breakfast Pizza, Rotato Rounds, Field Peas Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast & w/Gravy, Green Beans Roll, dence. Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

David Shadows, a former cor- becomes exhausted with his tour. The story, set in real life, car-

The Unit is a work of fiction hasn't forgotten Damon vowing America's website: www.pub. Building.The Group currently. Oct 11. with something for all adult its own brand of justice on lishamerica.com, at Barnes and has scheduled opportunities to readers. It has relationship, it Damon and the family he did. Noble or its website: www.bar. explore the world of computers, has respect and it has love. not know he had. The Unit has nesandhoble.com, at Books-A. gain legal knowledge about vari-The story begins when a Navy begun its hunt, but it's chosen Million or its website ous estate issues, how to protect (Continued from Page One)

> Publish America Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Bill

> > LOUISE BOWERS

THE ELBA CLIPPER · THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2004

Coffee County Republican Women invite people to participate in their Caring For America Project

Republican Women of Coffee Republican Party Headquarters, Blake, have issued an invitation Enterprise. in the club's Caring For America Cobb, Robbin Blake, Beth Project of sending DVD movies Agee, Felicia Metcalf, Joan or used DVD movie for this and Anne Agee. project may drop it off at the

### Senior World returns to Dothan

over the age of 50 who have a wants to join their friends for a

www.booksamillion.com or themselves from scams, informathrough Amazon at www.ama- uon on financial areas, horticul- Employment Service.

"just visit" with friends and make both TAA and ATAA.

County's president. Robbin located at 116 N. Main Street. for the community to participate Pictured left to right. Sue

to our troops in Iraq. Anyone Ayer, Virginia Howard, Fay who would like to donate a new McCrary. Faye McDonough.

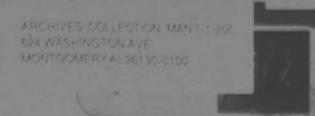
The Senior World Group of the end of the day auction. The Dothan will be hosting its Fall auction will be the highlight end Senior World Conference on of a day of fun and information. Friday, Oct. 15, on the Troy There will be other prizes and University Dothan Campus on gifts given away during the day, Highway 231 North of Dothan. too. The local Senior World Group There is a minimal registration Council consists of approximate- fee to cover the cost of lunch. ly 25 local persons who are intermorning and afternoon breaks

desire to learn and have fun. good time of learning and fun on The Fall Senior World event a beautiful campus is encouraged will begin promptly at 8 a.m. and to call the Troy University and morning coffee and juice will Education Center at 334-983-Employ Shannon Boswell as rectional officer turned author, of duty after a mission goes ries strong language, violence be ready at 7 a.m. Attendees 0005 to register. The number of secretary/bookkeeper at Zion has written an action/crime sour He leaves behind the hor- and sexual content. The Unit should enter the campus from participants is limited to a first novel entitled. The Unit. ror and attempts to carry on with was released July 11 with details. Highway 231, then proceed to the paid, first serve basis. The author is a native of his life returning to Alabama available through David Coffee County and a 1983 grad where he grew up. It isn't long Shadow's website at There will be signs directing the attendees are encouraged to reg-

end about 4:30 p.m. Check in Dothan Campus Continuing uate of Zion Chapel High before he finds work with a www.davidshadows.com, or attendees to Sony Hall in the ister early due to limited space. local state prison, but The Unit ordering through Publish Library Technology Deadline to register is Monday,

> ture, tips on traveling, decorating. Workers have also been certi-The Unit was published by sports discussions, health care fied for Alternative Trade trends, the environment around Adjustment Assistance (ATAA): us, and how to physically protect. Under' the ATAA program, yourself and other types of employees who are 50 years of informative and fun activities, age and older, that obtain full-Each person who attends will be time work within 26 weeks of able to select from three sessions their separation date from the that are of interes to them. The affected employer, may receive sessions will be conducted simul- a wage subsidy to help bridge taricously and repeated two or the salary gap between their old three times each during the day. and new job. However, workers There will be opportunities to cannot receive benefits under

> new friends during the day. Those who are eligible for Mrs. Louise Bowers, age 74. Attendees are encouraged to wear benefits will be notified in of Elba. Ala., died Tuesday comfortable clothing and shoes. Writing by the Alabama evening. Sept. 7. at her resi- Each attendee will be given Department of Industrial Hayes Funeral Home of Elba Center money that can be used to identified. The notification will will announce the arrangements. purchase items to take home at inform them of how to apply for benefits and services







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Thursday, September 16, 2004 1 Section, 14 Pages Plus 1 Adv. Insert

### Officials/residents prepare for Hurricane Ivan's potential impact on area

Danny Weeks

had announced

county and city officials began unknown Tuesday morning, Sept. 14. If the making necessary decisions to 5't o r m

West as of 1 p:m. Tuesday afternoon, he noon, however, he said this did not exempt the area from potential noon on the not pump water, will deplenish rapidly.

Also, citizens are reminded to stay friday. As for tuned to local media outlets including weeks would

ed path of the hurricane still left likely will Coffee County on the East side experience gusty winds of more passed through the area

to prepare the city for the storm.

Parker

Covingtor

Cooperative

Manager o

Marketing

and Member

Services.

"However,

people should

be aware that

generators

must be connected and operated injured or even killed.

properly, or they can be haz- \* Don't blow it, man -

ardous to the public and the line Prioritize your electrical needs.

crews working to restore Don't overload the generator

CEC offers these tips for excessive power demand. See

portable generators operating the unit's manual for its specific

\* Do it right - Thoroughly al is unavailable, check the body

read and understand the operat- of the generator for indications.

ing and maintenance instruc- Keep in mind that refrigerators

and employees who operate the if at all, with a generator. If posgenerator understand the rules, sible, plug the appliance or elec-

\* Flip the big one - Even if the generator. If you must use an

your home or business has tem- extension cord, make sure it's

porarily lost electric service, adequately sized to handle the

turn off the main power switch power, or else it could start a pefore operating the generator. fire. Place cords out of the way

tor, even if it takes a few extra 700 watts of power each. minutes during emergencies. \* Never over-extend yourself Make sure all family members - Use extension cords sparingly,

tions before using any genera- and freezers may require 500-

With the predicted approach attempt to wire the building's thing else.

of Ivan, many people in South electrical system into a genera- \* Let it breathe - Provide ade- tainers for storing it.

with an energized generator.

downed can be

with too many appliances and

wattage limitations; if the manu-

trical equipment directly into

He said Coffee County proba- tial for heavy rains. winds by Wednesday evening local area by Thursday night. superintendent Dr. Linda

storm might make landfall a bit can do to assure the safety of the by Linda Hodge, Editor West of Mobile Bay Thursday local people," Tallas said With the threat of Hurricane morning (today), but that is only Tuesday afternoon. Ivan's impact on the United a prediction with the exact land. As of Tuesday afternoon. States reaching the local area, fall impact of the storm still. Tallas said Elba City Schools

best support the safety of all cit- continues | With the threat of Hurricane Ivan to that the Elba on the the area, Elba officials remind citi- School System According to Coffee County path pro- zens to conserve water in the event of would close at Emergency Management direction of the state of the state

Tallas said Tuesday's project- area most Tallas said Tuesday's project- area most storm up-to-date announcements.

weather conditions. Tallas said if conditions withcrews will not be available until things settle down, And, if necessary county roads will be

For the most accurate inforbidder and included: mation regarding the storm. \* Prime (MC70) awarded to issued a voluntary evacuation. All emergency shelters, when

closed to traffic except emer-

zens should prepare for the If problems do arise during the storm. Tallas said citizens

Hurricane Ivan, Coffee Street department employees for the City of Elba are shown above | County offices were schedfilling sand bags. The employees began filling the bags Tuesday uled to close at 12 Noon on afternoon as a precautionary measure in preparing for the impact of Wednesday, Sept. 15. Hurricane Ivan Although it was not certain on Tuesday exactly how The offices will reopen org of an impact the hurricane would have on the area, city officials | Friday, Sept. 17, weather decided to go ahead and do as many things as possible in advance permitting.

y's distribution invisible, odorless gas that can too.

wire whether it's \* No-fooling refueling - 4121.

E 2004 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON continue

day, Sept. 17, with the Elba Tigers traveling to Hartford to take

n the Geneva County Panthers. Also, New Brockton will travel

ON CHAPEL PTO will meet Thursday, Sept. 23, at 6 p.m. in

nter on Claxton Avenue beginning at 6:30 p.m. Anyone inter-

of the storm, which usually is than 70 miles per hour on. Tallas also said the Coffee Elba Mayor James Grimes (left) held a meeting Tuesday morning. Sept. 14, with the city's depart-

Thursday along with the poten- County School System would ments heads to put into action a preparedness plan for Hurricane Ivan's potential impact on the area. probably release students early. Immediately following the meeting, city employees began work to prepare the city for the storm. It is bly would start receiving some. Tallas said the worst of the Wednesday afternoon and be expected to impact the local area on Thursday (today), but no one could be exactly sure on Tuesday as rain and maybe some gusty storm probably will be past the closed on Thursday. He said to how much of an impact it will make on Elba and Coffee County.

### with projections indicating the Officials are doing all they Ingram would also evaluate returning on Friday based on

during the storm, emergency Commissioners spent the major- were awarded to McClain meeting Monday, Sept. 13, annual bids. Bids were awarded to the low

evision or radio. Any important Asphalt (CRS-2) and residents of mobile homes in the anytime, should a person's physinformation will be passed Emulsified Asphalt (CRS-2 w/ City of Elba. The Mayor strong- ical condition require emergency

\* Crushed Stone bids were shelter.

Coffee County Farmers CoOp from family and friends who can 'emergency assistance is needed' of Enterprise and DeAngelo provide temporary place to stay, during the storm conditions, resi-Brothers Inc. of Athens, Ga.; Elba Elementary School is the dents must keep in mind that the \* Steel Pipe bids went to Gulf shelter site for the City of Elba. City cannot ensure prompt Atlantic Culvert Inc. of Special needs patients (for response due to dangers to its Tallahassee, Fla: The company example, home oxygen, etc.) are employees and general condi-CEC provides tips for the safe use of portable generators during power outages plies with their current vendor to However, the City will attempt to

offered a percentage discount \* the Seeding, Fertilizing and in the county get bad enough

Coffee County Precast Bridge Components Coffee County Farmers CoOp for BCCM and Plain steel; Spreading bids went to the ity of their regular bimonthly Contracting of Andalusia, Ala.; Please See CCC, Page 14

### opening and approving several City of Elba offices to be closed Thursday E.E.S. opened as evacuation shelter

Fuscaloosa, Ala.; Emulsified residents in low lying areas and for special needs patients. At Latex Rubber Additive) award- ly urged those residents in low treatment, he/she is encouraged ed to Blacklidge Emulsions, Inc. lying areas or who reside in to go to the emergency room at

bids were awarded with two dif-dictable as Hurricane Ivan, there shelters.

Portable electric generators. You may also wish to unplug all to prevent tripping hazards but. Don't attempt to refill the gener-remain at home during the storm, respond as quickly as possible as offer great benefits when out- sensitive electronic equipment. as with all extension cords, do ator's fuel tank while it is run-

Elba Mayor James Grimes example, voluntary evacuation). of Gulfport, Miss.; mobile homes to seek proper Medical Center Enterprise.

awarded to Southeast Materials - Evacuation shelters scheduled - shelter should bring the followof Birmingham. Ala with an to open in Elba at 6 p.m., ing supplies for each member of alternate bid to Martin-Marietta. Wednesday, Sept 15- the family: clothing, hygiene Aggregates of Birmingham if Residents and non-residents products, medication, food for 3-Southeast for some reason can should keep in mind that with a 4 days, bedding, baby supplies, not supply the product. These storm as strong and unpre- and water. No pets are allowed at

ferent options - Option A: deliv- is no way the City of Elba can Elba City Hall will be closed ered and Option B: picked up; guarantee the safety or structural on Thursday. Sept. 16 until fur-\* Various herbicide bids were integrity of its shelters, ther notice, however, there will divided between NaturChem Therefore, the City continues to be personnel available for any West Inc. of Conyers, Ga., urge residents to seek assistance needs associated with the City. If encouraged to coordinate sup- tions existing at the time.



HARRIET CROMMELIN and her dog Penny stopped in Elba Tuesday afternoon as they made their way away from their home in Seagrove Beach, Florida and Hurricane Ivan's "mean" disposition. ested in attending the burques should contact the Elba Chamber of Commerce (897-3125) by Friday, Sept. 17. The theme of the event will be "Catch the Spirit with a Taste of Elba."

Seagrove beach, Friday and Futbreau of the jumping out of the fat into the fire by going to Montgomery but we decided this was the best thing to do" Crommelin explained. "I might be jumping out of the fat into the fire by going to Crommelin explained.



YOU'RE INVITED

Thursday, September 16

8:00 p.m.(approximately) Free outdoor concert

Bobby Moore & the Rhythm Aces Free soft drinks and \$1 beer outside

Plasma TV drawings 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - 70:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Friday, September 17

Free outdoor concert

Denise LaSalle "Queen of the Blues"

Free soft drinks and \$1 beer outside

9:00 p.m. (approximately)

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. -Midnight - 1:00 a.m. - 2:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 18 11:30 a.m.

20th Anniversary TeeShirt Giveaway. free while they last to all patrons) Free matinee and evening racing programs

Noon and throughout the afternoon Clubhouse barbecue plate special

\$20 Lets-U-Play for \$20,000 Bingo

Prime Rib Dinner for two for \$20

7:00 p.m. • The Mind Blenders (starts around 7:00 p.m.)

The Tams (starts around 9:00 p.m.)

 7th Wonder Band (starts around 11:00 p.m.) Free soft drinks and \$1 beer outside

featuring VictoryLand's top greyhounds! Plasma TV drawings 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. -

20th Anniversary Stakes Race

10:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. - Midnight -(Reserve your place in advance at VictoryLand Bingo. Seating limited.) 1:00 a.m. - 2:00 a.m.

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### EDITORIAL

# With Ferrin Cox

Many thousands of U. S. citizens, from South Florida to Louisiana, are very edgy over the prospects of Hurricane Ivan coming in right on top of them. Some are visiting relatives further North, others are booking motel rooms out of the projected path(s) of the storm while many are hunkering down and hoping for the best from this Category 5 storm. One Florida man who was busy Monday taking whatever safety measures he could think of reportedly said of this latest hurricane, "Frances was ugly but Ivan is

Elba citizens are highly experienced with devastating weather disasters . regrettably it is experience learned the hard way. Therefore it is no surprise to see the methodic way officials and private citizens are going about preparations for the savage storm headed toward this area. While most of the local experience is with flood waters, many of the "get ready" measures are very much alike. Our thoughts now are prayers that when the bad weather has passed, and it will pass, all our folks will be able to shake it off and move forward with life.

After hearing several people reporting failure in efforts to buy an emergency generator within the last five or six days, we posed the same question to a couple of dealers. Of course the answer we got was the same . . . almost a laugh. One reported a list of unfilled requests exceeding 100! Most area merchants don't stock many of these things, as they are not normal big sellers. Then the chain stores emptied their warehouses and shipped whatever inventory they had to their South Florida stores and haven't gotten in enough replacements to fill the projected demand in this area.

Grimes on the water supply. If Elba loses electric power, dents can expect severe weather, regardless of the exact landfall spot on the map. or has to cut it off due to dangerous wind conditions, the or has to cut it off due to dangerous wind conditions, the water supply in the storage tanks will decrease rapidly. CC Arts Alliance Senator Shelby announced more There will be no additional water until it is safe to turn the postpones event funds for I-10 connector work servative with your use of tap water if the electric power is The Coffee County Arts.

Coffee County citizens need to also be keenly aware that Thursday, September 16, 18 (R-AL), Chairman tornados are not unusual side effects of hurricanes. So be arranged Individual ticket Appropriations watch for them as well as the hurricane winds and flash holders may hold tickets until a Subcommittee on flood waters. As the excited football coach told his defennew date is scheduled sive players in the waning seconds of a tough fought ball Postponement is due to Treasury. game. "Be ready for everything."

### Elba Police Report

2004, investigated the following 630 Jackson Ave. (9:15 p.m.): been cancelled. property, one driving under the Coffee County EMS dispatched for Arbor Day influence, two for harassing to Beaver Dam Apts.. B-2 Ten free tree will be given to communications, one child (10:35 p.m.), Disturbance each person who joins The abuse, one failure to pay, one (noise) reported at the Mulberry National Arbor Day Foundation assault, one unauthorized use of park (11:23 p.m.). a motor vehicle, one unattended

made: one for driving under the 'a.m.). Domestic disturbance Avenue, Nebraska City, NE influence, one arrest on warrants reported at 1794 Highland Dr. 68410, by September 30, 2004. and two for domestic violence. (12:42 a.m.): Fight in progress Or join online at arborday.org Traffic citations issued during reported at Movie Gallery (9:30 the week were as follows: one 'p.m.). Minor wreck reported at BULLETIN BOARD for driving with a revoked dri- the Elba Skating Rink parking ver's license, one for improper lot (10:54 p.m.).

Daily activity highlights for stage - 7.18 feet (7:51 a.m.); services Thui MONDAY, SEPT. 6 - Martin Luther King Dr. (6:48 - SOCIAL SECURITY REP Disturbance reported at 513 p.m.); Domestic disturbance (in FREE 1-80) McKinnon St. (3:05 a.m.); River progress) reported at 609 Pine ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday of stage - 7.91 feet (7:57 a.m.). Cove (8:44 p.m.).

TUESDAY, SEPT. 7 - River stage - 7.58 feet (6:00 a.m.) WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 8

Routine activity. THURSDAY, SEPT. 9 - Wreck reported at the intersection of Simmons St. and Claxton Ave. (2:39 p.m.).

CALL CRIMESTOPPERS TO REPORT A CRIM ANNOYMOUS

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Graphic by the National Weather Service showing projected path of Hurricane Ivan as of 4:00 Tuesday afternoon. The path moved back and forth, East and West throughout the day Tuesday as weather con-We hope Elba citizens heed the warning of Mayor James ditions varied. With winds spread out over 100 miles from the eye of the storm. Coffee County resi-

Alliance event, Koresh Dance U.S. Senato Company, scheduled for Richard Shelby

Hurricane Ivan. For additional G e n e r a VA Health Fair canceled at Rucker that The "One VA" Outreach Health Department Fair scheduled for Saturday. Transportatio The Elba Police Department. FRIDAY, SEPT. 10 - September 18, 2004 at Lyster will be releasing

during September 2004. To receive the free trees, send a death, one harassment and two SATURDAY, SEPT. 11 - \$10 membership contribution to Report of a gun being dis- TEN TREES, National Arbor The following arrests were charged on Jackson St. (12:16 Day Foundation, 100 Arbor

· ABUSING CHEMICAL SUB-STANCES THROUGH CHRIST SUNDAY, SEPT. 12 - River A.R.M.S. addiction r Disturbance (noise) reported on website ww

ELBA CITY COUNCIL 2nd & WATER & ELECTRIC wing 2nd Monday-6 p.m. ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN - 8 a.m. Elba United Methox GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP DIE londay 6:30 p.m.-Elba United lethodist Church-enter on side on W.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMIS-ON - - 2nd & 4th Monday LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD 1st Thur. - 5:30 p.m. - Supt. Office • AMERICAN LEGION uesday of every month-7:00 p. egion Hall , Troy Hwy, MASONIC LODGE 170 - 1 3rd Monday of each month- 7 p.m
 BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon

p.m. Band Room @ Elba High School
VETERANS SERVICE
OFFICER - Mon-Fri. 8-12 noon & :30 - 4:30 New Brockton @ Farm enter Complex 894-5858 COFFEE COUNTY COON HUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. - 3 p.m -COFFEE REPUBLICAN WOMEN - 3rd Wed. Noon- Colony

· ELBA AIRPORT AUTHORITY d Thursday at noon, Driscoll Hanger AARP meets every 3rd Tuesday night of the month

\*ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB - 1st & Monday - 7 p.m. - Elba High boys

· NEW SEASONS STUDY CLUB ·

Every 3rd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

secured these funds n the fiscal year .004 appropriaons process. Sen. Shelby said, I am pleased to innounce these

ubcommittee.

Senator Shelby

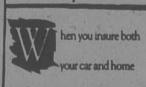
project will allow s to connect the Oothan and Wiregrass area with beginning Monday. Sept. 6. Disturbance (noise) reported at Army Community Hospital has \$2.884,215 for/ the 1-10 I-10 in Florida and will greatly Connector near Dothan. As improve access and traffic flow

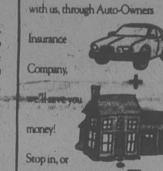
tic dispute, three for their of Dam Apts., B-2 (10:31 p.m.); Free trees offered Chairman of the throughout Alabama."

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### THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2004 LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

upon to do so.

about our freedom and privi- lic good.

leges I have a corresponding a capital offense, it is my duty dent of its limitless future. listen and to read, to assemble judgment until the court has be an American. peaceably with others and to made its decision and to assist Acie W. Taylor discuss openly such questions the courts by serving as a wit- Geneva, Ala. as are worthy of serious atten- ness or on jury when called

and to refrain from loose talk- preserve, protect, and defend ation. because I have this right, too. personally competent to contake that choice. It is my duty to use my right duct myself at all times as an Sincerely,

to vote for whom I choose in honorable citizen of a great Sherri Carroll, registered election of those who will hold nation under whose flag voter officer in our representative mankind has reached its highest Slocomb, Ala. form of government. It is my state of freedom. duty to use my right to vote as I was born Oct. 28, 1919, and intelligently as possible and to I donated a freedom coat respect and support public offi- woven by our forefathers with cers in the honest performance the constitution and the Bill of of their duty.

Because I have the right to attempt was made to strip me of

would give to all others with LCI at Utah Beach in similar problems and to Normandy, France, Belgium

Rights on Dec. 7, 1941. An

worship according to the dic- my most precious item of tates of my own conscience, it apparel, liberty and freedom. is my duty to accord this same On Sept. 16, 1941, I became privilege to others and to one of many GIs who took an respect the sacredness or reli- oath to die rather than give up that coat. Today, at age 84. I Because I have the right to still proudly wear it, never to be petition my government for outdated. I served in the 121st redress from wrongs, to state a Infantry and the 8th Infantry grievance or ask relief from Division from 1941-1945. In oppression, it is my duty to ask World War II, I served in the no more for myself than I European area and landed on a

remember that personal interest and Germany on the Elb River As American citizens we talk must be subordinate to the pub- where we met the Red Army. As a combat wounded veter lege we have in America under Because I have the right to be an of WWII, I believe in the United States Constitution. tried by a jury of my fellow cit- America. I believe it became

ing which may injure another the constitution of the U.S. and No matter who your political or jeopardize my countrymen, to obey its law to make myself choice is, use your freedom to

EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS LETTER TO THE EDITOR

305 S. Reese Ave.

LOUISE BOWERS

What many of us fail to see is izens if I am legally charged great because of its faith in that each of us have a duty as with a crime, to be assured that God, its hope for independence an American to prove our self. I cannot be punished more than and its love of freedom. I am worthy of the freedoms guaran- once for the same offense, to "grateful for America's glorious teed by the Bill of Rights. refuse to testify against myself past, I am awed by its unbeliev-For every one of my privi- to be free under bond except for able present, and I am confiduty because I have the right to to remember at all times that a God, has blessed America express my opinion orally or in person accused is deemed to be and I thank him each time I writing, in criticism or in innocent until proven guilty, to look up and see Old Glory flypraise, of public issues. Also, to abstain from passing my own ing in the wind. I am proud to

RE: Vote, make a difference .... It is my duty to study prob- Because I have the right to Please vote this election. lems and social issues carefully exercise my rights as a citizen. Everyone does, and can make a and to listen and read with dis- under the United States difference. America has a crimination before expressing Constitution and the laws of the choice: It can continue to grow an opinion, to tolerate the state to engage in whatever, the economy and create new views of others as being as occupation I may lawfully fol- jobs as the President's policies worthy of consideration as my low, to be free to trayel to edu- are doing; or it can raise taxes own, to make my criticism con- cate myself and to strive for my on American families and small structive, to withhold judgment own occupational competence businesses, hurting economic until the evidence is reviewed and happiness, it is my duty to recovery and future job cre-

# Obituaries

Mrs. Louise (Sharpless) Johnnie Benjamin Parks III. Mr. Wyndol Hayes Newman. Bowers, age 76, of Elba, Ala., Survivors include her hus- age 69, of Elba, Ala., died died Tuesday, Sept. 7, 2004 at band: Burin Newton Bowers, Friday, Sept. 10, 2004 at his

Funeral Home directing. Contributions may be made in

### ALERT

With the threat of Hurricane Ivan to the area, Elba officials remind citizens to conserve water in the event of a city-wide electrical outage. If electrical power is lost, water wells can not pump water, and the water levels will deplenish

Also, citizens are remindd to stay tuned to local media outlets including radio and television in the event any voluntary or mandatory evacuations are

hop The Classifieds

eight grandchildren

Metsker, Monte Vista, Colo.,

Frances Anne (Eddie) Gutshall.

Portland, Conn., Kate Esco.

Deatsville; two brothers:

Holloway Gibbons and James

Gibbons, both of Deatsville; and

Sept. 10, 2004.

Cemetery.

Bowers, and a grandson, WYNDOL HAYES NEWMAN

Elba; two daughters: Frances home in Elba. Funeral services were held Rachel (Shorty) Nelson, Elba, Funeral services were held Sept. 10, 2004 from the Chapel Kathy (John) Parks, Auburn, Sept. 12, 2004 from the Chapel of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba Ala.; one son: Andy Ray of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba with Rev. Wayne Webber and Bowers, Elba; two brothers: with Rev. Joe Farris officiating. Dr. Tony Dye officiating, Burial Waylon Sharpless and Ralph Burial followed in the followed in the Evergreen Sharpless, both of Elba; four Woodland Grove Cemetery, Cemetery of Elba with Hayes grandchildren and two great- Elba with Hayes Funeral Home

directing. Survivors include his wife: honor of Mrs. Bowers to MARY FRANCES STOKES Emma Grace Newman; two Wiregrass Hospice Enterprise, Ms. Mary Frances Stokes, age daughters: Vanessa Carol P.O. Box 311103, Enterprise, 77, of Auburn, Ala, died Friday, Davis and Brenda Kave Miller, all of Elba; one step daughter: Mrs. Bowers was preceded in Funeral services were held Diane B. Flowers, Jack, Ala.; death by a son, Dennis Howard Sept. 13, 2004 at Auburn United two sons; Phillip Hayes Methodist Church with Dr. Newman and John Fredrick George Mathison and Rev. Nick Newman, both of Elba; one step Holler officiating. Burial fol- son: Billy Wayne Bryan, Elba; lowed at Auburn Memorial Park two brothers: Jerry Pope, Jack, Ala., Larry Pope, Enterprise, Survivors include six chil- Ala.; five sisters: Eleanor Price, dren: Charlie Samuel (Kotty) Linda Smith and Julia Brooks, Stokes, Mobile, Ala., John all of Elba, Peggy Allen, Seale, Daniel (Donna) Stokes, Elba. Ala., Mary Hazel (Cliff) City, Ala; seven grandchildren

> Suffolk, Va., Joseph Bruce Pre-need (Kelly) Stokes, Madison; two sisters: Elizabeth Olson, funeral planning now available at Haves **Funeral Home** For details Call 897-2225

and three great-grandchildren.

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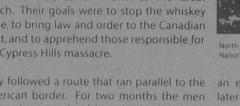
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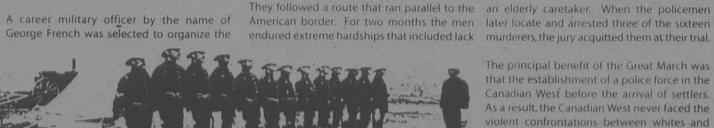
# How Americans Helped Create the Royal Canadian Mounted Police

In June 1873, a group of Montana whiskey new police force. By early the following sum traders killed twenty-two unarmed Cree mer, he had recruited and trained nearly four Indians in Alberta, Canada. In response, the hundred new police officers. Canadian government authorized the creation of the Northwest Mounted Police On July 8, 1874 two hundred and seventy-five (NWMP, which later changed its name to the of them left the new NWMP headquarters at Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP).

dead were women and children, the incident the Cypress Hills massacre. was called the Cypress Hills Massacre.

ern edge of the Great Plains. Reaching their The killings occurred at Cypress Hills after destination required an eight hundred mile someone stole horses belonging to the westward trek, better known as The Great whiskey traders. Believing the Indians to be March. Their goals were to stop the whiskey the thieves, the Montana's descended upon trade, to bring law and order to the Canadian the Indians' encampment. As many of the West, and to apprehend those responsible for





They followed a route that ran parallel to the an elderly caretaker. When the policemen

March West and the development of the North West Mounted Police, Alberta, 1875. Canadian West, take The Web Journey.

of water, dysentery, and malaria. Their desti-

nation was a trading post called Fort Whoop-

Up, built by the Montana traders in 1869.

When they arrived, it was deserted except for

The Diary of Henri Julien

resource is his diary, and includes many of the paigns throughout the Canadian West. early twentieth century. It includes a well illustrations he made during the journey.

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Web Address: http://tinyurl.com/604qo The Romance of the Mounted Police

Henri Julien was an illustrator and journalist Published in 1899, this is a chapter from the Developed by the National Library of who worked for the Canadian Illustrated book Pictures from Canadian History for Boys Canada, this resource tells the story of west-News. At the invitation of the commissioner and Girls. It tells the story of the Mounted ern development from the arrival of the first of the North West Mounted Police, he accom- Police from its founding through to the 1890's explorers in the sixteenth century, through panied them on the Great March West. This and includes stories of many of their cam- to its settlement in the late nineteenth and

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### IT HAPPENED THIS WEEK!



fifth President. First elected in 1896, he was re-elected to a econd term in 1900. 1901, he visited the an American lew York. On

ngress. Leon Czolgosz shot him at point blank range. On September 14, he died from his wounds and Theodore Roosevelt became the nation's twenty sixth President. Who

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### ALABAMA **FAST FACT**



legend Hank the town of Georgiana, which is approximately thirty niles northwest of Andalusia. He rocketed to stardom folowing an appear ance at the Grand Ole Opry in 1949. By

Hank Williams: Through the Alabama the time he died Department of Archives and History four years later at the age of twenty-nine, he had become one of the best-known entertainers in the country.

Find out more about him at http://tinyurl.com/4e7rx

Touchstone Energy



Ward-Hall wedding held May 22 at

Elba Church of Christ

Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Ward

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# CHURCH & AREA NEWS

### Cemetery working planned at Pleasant Ridge Church

and help clean the cemetery and come early.

Cemetery Working planned church yard for homecoming at the Pleasant Ridge Church that will be held September 26, Cemetery, Sat. Sept. 18, 2004. 2004. Everyone is asked to Everyone is encouraged to come bring tools to work with and to

Evangelist Elizabeth Pascuzzi to speak at the morning 1: 1-18 worship service at the Assembly of God Church

on Sunday September 19th. Alabama will be the speaker. Blue, Vivian Jack, Cleaven of the Mulberry Women's Children Got Shoes" Saturday, October 2 Evangelist Elizabeth Pascuzzi The service will begin at 7 Williams, Lizzie Pearl Tyson Convention to meet Saturday, from Kansas City, Missouri will o'clock each evening.

There will also be a revival For more information call (334) Robinson-September 11, Rena Highway 84 in Elba. service at the church, September 894-6371 or 393-6620.

United Methodist Church to join us anytime. For more September 14, Ollie Peterson- theme with Rev. A.R. Williams invites you to come and worship information call 897-2219. as they celebrate the theme

United Methodist Church

Holy Grounds, a Christian fellowship Concert will be held Sunday. & Externally Driven.

is looking for amateur comedians

Holy Grounds is looking for Enterprise, Ala. 36330.

located at 4941 Hwy 27, call (334) 393-1937.

The Elba United Methodist Church Youth can help you get ready for Christmas!!!!!

Annual Fund-Raiser. WRAPPING PAPER AND GIFTS FOR ALL SEASONS

The Youth are sponsoring their

Will begin September 13 & will go through Oct. 31 This Fund Raiser will help the Youth in their efforts to raise money for their annual mission trip. If you are interested in helping with this ( event please contact the church office: 897-2219 and we will put you in touch with )

For I was hungry, and you fed me. I was thirsty, and you gave me drink. I was a stranger, and you invited me into your home...And the King will tell them. "I assure you, when you did it to one of the least of these brothers and sisters; you were doing for me!" Matthew 25: 35-40

a Youth Member.

WITH ERIA 897-2006

PRAYING FOR YOU: Mary Church - Tarentum. There will be special services 27th - October 1st . Rev. Billy E. Holley, Bessie Mullins, Rev. \*\*\*MULBERRY MATRON

September 13, Linda Hooks- ROCKY September 16, Kimmie Daniels- delivering the message. September 17 (in memory of) \*\*\*SERVED MINISTRIES United Methodist Church \*\*\*100 ANOINTED VOICES Spiritually Extreme Revolution

BE HELD AT Rocky Head (334)475-0193 (C). Missionary Baptist Church & will meet Friday, September 24, Night Singing

Speaker:Sis. Oneather Smedley Hwy. 84 at 9:30 a.m. from Mt. Calvary Baptist \*\*\*PERSONAL-Rev. Joyce Johnson of Tuscumbia, Wednesday Night-September Christopher & Kira Belcher of 22-Speaker:Rev. Johnathan Montgomery visited Eria L. Lockett-Harris Temple COGIC- Belcher and other relatives and

friends this past weekend in Thursday Night-September 23. Elba. They also attended the -Speaker:Pastor A.C. Johnson- Elba football game Friday Shiloh Baptist Church-Troy Night. Service Scheduled Saturday Night - 6:00

September 25- Speaker: Sister -Cathynette Cross-Rocky Head Missionary Baptist Church-Elba \*\*\*16TH ANNUAL PAS-TOR'S ANNIVERSARY FOR REV. & MRS. JONAS ROGERS of the Goshen Baptist Church in Goshen will | News Is Monday! be held Sunday, September 19, at 2:00 p.m. The guest speaker

4th Annual Gospel Bluegrass Festival

\*\*\*THINKING OF YOU, Church-Elba, & Shiloh Baptist The Wilkersons Family, Martin 5677.

at the Assembly of God Church Cardwell from Grove Hill Charles Lane, Ernest Jack, Alice DEPARTMENT-An Auxiliary Inspirational stage play "Alla God's

HEAD School Auditorium.

September is "Open House Month" at the Elba

a.m. and 6:00 p.m. The you. Baptist Church beginning \*\*\*ANNUAL SESSION OF Children's Choir and Program is For more information, call the Monday Night at 7:00 - THE MULBERRY BAP- at 4:30 p.m. and the Youth Choir church office at 897-2219

Blue Springs Missionary Baptist and Saturday September 25 at Shiloh Baptist Church will Men of Faith will be the guest

Menu

BREAKFAST Friday Night-September 24-No Today is a good day! be grate- Monday - Bagel, Jelly Monday - Cheese Pizza, Sloppy Joe, Fried ereal, Juice, Milk Squash, Whole Kernel Corn, Ice Cream Tuesday- Ham & Biscuit, Cereal, Jelly, Juice, Milk
Cereal, Jelly, Juice, Milk
Cheese, Potato Salad, Turnips, Com Wednesday - Donut w/ Bread, Fruit, Milk Glaze, Cereal, Juice, Milk Wednesday - Pork Bar-B-Q, Sausage Dog, Thursday - French Toast, Baked Potato, Garden Salad, Rolls, Fruit, Canadian Bacon, Cereal, Milk Thursday - Hamburger, Hot Dog, Oven Juice, Milk Fries, Baked Beans, Fruit, Milk Friday - Sausage Biscuit, Friday - Taco Salad, Turkey Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomato & Cheese, English Peas,

Pastor Rev. Lloyd Hodge

VANDERBILT HOLINESS

VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Cereal, Juice, Milk Hashrounds, Brownie, Fruit, Milk

ROUND & ABOUT planned for Saturday, September 18

The 4th Annual Gospel The Turman Family, and The Bluegrass Festival will be held Smith's. The Annual Bluegrass September 18, 2004 at 4 p.m. Festival is hosted by The Bush This festival will be at Crystal Family and will be concession Springs Park in downtown Red by South Church of God. Love Level, Ala. This will feature offering will be taken and also SCRIPTURE: ZEPHANIAH will be Rev. A.R. Williams, pas- Crosscut Bluegrass, Jimmy bring lawn chairs. For more tor of the Rocky Head Baptist Williams and The Gospel Grass, information call (334) 469-Hicks and The Bluegrass Boys,

\*\*\*SEPTEMBER BIRTH- September 18 at 9:30 a.m. at the An inspirational gospel stage Birmingham, Ala.; Jacqueline be ministering in the 11 a.m. and The church is located at 499 DAYS & WEDDING Mulberry Missionary Baptist play called, "Alla God's Austin, Jessica Smith, Pamela Meredith street, Enterprise, Ala. ANNIVERSARIES: Novella District Ed Building located on Children Got Shoes...", is about Ferrell, Patricia Station, Clara faith, hope, courage, and love. Boley, and Angela Seals of Felton-September 12 (in memo- \*\*\*"CELEBRATING 117 This event will be held Enterprise, Ala.; and Elder ry of), Eria & Grover Belcher, YEARS" CHURCH Saturday, October 2, 2004, at Dimitri Taylor of Daleville, Ala. September is "Open House Month" at Ham

Sr. - September 12, Lizzie Tyson

ANNIVERSARY (1887-2004)
6:30 p.m. at the Enterprise High

The play was written by local

September 13, R.C. Carpenter MISSIONARY BAPTIST Cast members include: from Enterprise. September is "Open House "Open Hearts, Open Minds, and September 13, Verlin Whitfield- CHURCH to be held Sunday, Ashley Brown, Whitney Brown, Tickets are \$10.00. Call B. Month" in the United Methodist Open Doors." Worship is at 8:45 September 13, Rufus Williams - September 26 at 11:00 a.m Britney Brown and Majik of Smith for ticket locations and Church. The Ham Chapel a.m. and we will be glad for you September 13, L.V. Johnson - Fruits and Foundation is the Dothan, Ala.; Cedric Reid of other info at (334) 308-2575.

September is "Open House meets at 5:00 p.m. The Youth

September 19, 2004 at 7 p.m. at Holloway Tabernacle Assembly Month" in the United Methodist Program (UMYF) is at 6:30 the South East District Singing of God at Coffee Springs will be Church. The Elba United p.m. On Wednesday night Building. hosting a Youth "Fire" service at Methodist Church invites you to you're invited to come to supper (Brooksville Community) Elba. the church's main sanctuary on come worship as they celebrate at 5:30 p.m and Bible Study at amateur comedians. This is a If you have never done come- For more information call Rev. Saturday, September 19, at 6:00 the theme of "Open hearts, 6:15 p.m. Please come and join Christian fellowship. This event dy before, this is your chance. Roderick Rideaux-897-1804 or p.m. For more information conwill take place September 25th There will be a \$100 cash prize. Danny & Janice Cole -897-6999 tact: Javier Ruiz-Assoc. Youth Sunday School is at 9:00 a.m. or any other time for church at 7 p.m. at The Potter's House For more information please \*\*\*AUXILIARY WEEK TO Minister - (334)393-8336-(H) or and worship service is at 10:00 activities. We will be glad to see

Fryer, Sr. - Pea Creek WOMEN'S CONVENTION Shiloh Baptist Church to hold 3rd Saturday

the Mulberry Baptist District hold their 3rd Saturday Night singing group. Everyone is Tuesday Night-September 21- Association Building located on Singing this Saturday evening invited to attend. September 18, at 7:00.

> Coffee County Schools September 20-24, 2004

> > ify for the President's List. The Cathy S. Parker

Juliana Sims Juliana Sims celebrates 6th

celebrated her 6th birthday on drawings (pastels, chalk, char-August 12, 2004. She is the coal etc.) and photography is daughter of Keith and Jana Sims welcomed. Original works only. of Navarre, Fla.

in just five weeks

Highway 231 North in Dothan deemed unsuitable for display. from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Instructor for the course is Belkis Metcalf and the cost is \$65.

All proceeds from the festival will go to the Coffee Springs Christian School.

Zion Chapel PTO will meet

p.m. in the high school auditori-Coffee Springs 4th University and is now employed course annual Fall

Plans are being made for the in Kennesaw, GA. Coffee Springs Fourth Annual Fall Festival, to be held Saturday, October 16, 2004, between 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM at the High School Gym in Coffee Springs, Alabama.

There are plans for, Arts and Crafts Booths, Children;s games, Wagon Rides, Cake Walks, a Concession Stand and many other fun things and activities. Also planned is good fami-

Juliana Montgomery Sims Art in all media-oils/acrylics. Paintings may be framed or

responsibility. Have you ever wanted to learn Booths will be 10 by 10 feet, birthday side the gym. There are only a ed his first birthday with a dissection. premises, i. e., jellies, jams, John Mitchell of Columbiana, Classes will meet at the pickles, honey etc. The Festival Ala. Center for Economic and Committee reserves the right to

Miss Melissa Anne Hall and Mr. Daniel Windsor Ward were oined in marriage on May 22, 2004, at the Elba Church of Christ in Elba, AL. The ceremony took place at seven o'clock in. he evening with Minister Tim Gunnells officiating. Music was provided by Ms. Judith Tucker, pianist, Mr. Anthony Stewart, soloist, and Miss Beth Ford, ousin of the bride, soloist on french horn. The scripture passage was read by Mr. Grady Williams. A reception immedi ately followed. The bride chose her sister,

LIFESTYLES

Mrs. Laura Smith of Daleville, to serve as her matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Stacey the groom, Mrs. Mary Margaret Miss Stephanie Corder of Elba,

Mr. Jerome Ward, to serve as his best man. Groomsmen were Mr. Michael Helms of Enterprise, prother-in-law of the groom, Mr. lustin Maddox of Elba, Mr. Bucky Carlile of Elba, Mr. Jesse Reeves of Enterprise, and Mr. Gavin Martin of Troy. Master Branson Helms of Enterprise, nephew of the groom, was the LAURA FAITH COWART

Pre-nuptial events included a ehearsal dinner, hosted by the LBW Community College announces South Inn in Elba, AL; a bridesmaids' luncheon, hosted by Ms. Carolyn Brunson, at Ms. Brunson's residence; and a President Edward Meadows has receiving honors included: bachelor's brunch, hosted by announced academic honor stu- President's List: Elba, AL Chara Mr. and Mrs. Pérry Wilson, aunt dents for the 2004 Summer Michelle Bimbo, Andrew L and uncle of the groom, at the Semester. A total of 47 students Daugherty, Wendy R. Fralish, Wilson's residence.

were named to the President's Peggy Lanell Layton, Deandre The bride is the daughter of List and 63 students were named Wheeler Kinston, AL Tim A. Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hall of to the Dean's List. To qualify Whigham New Brockton, AL Elba, AL. She is the grandfor these distinctions, students Belinda Kaye Williams ... daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert must be enrolled on a full-time Dean's List :Elba, AL Margie R. E. Gilliam of Sparta, TN, Mrs. Steve and Beverly Cowart of basis and post a 3.50-3.99 (B+) Adkison, Lynne L. Driscoll, Opal G. Hall of Dayton, TN, and Mount Pleasant, S.C. announce grade point average to qualify Davie Lamont Head, Shannon the late Mr. Melvin G. Hall of the arrival of their daughter. for the Dean's List, and a 4.0. A. Nelson Kinston, AL Brenda Dayton, TN. She received a Laura Faith, born May 6, 2004. (A) grade point average to qual- D. Capps, Mark D. Johnson, bachelor of architecture from Laura weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and Auburn University and is now was 20 inches long. employed in Marietta, GA.

Zion Chapel PTO
The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jerome Ward of Elba, AL. He is the grandson of Mrs. Sallie C. Bryan of Elba, the Zion Chapel PTO will meet Thursday, Zion Chapel PTO will meet Thursday, Alie Mrs. Bryan of Elba, the Late Mr. James E. Bryan of Elba, the Late Mr. James E. Bryan of Elba, The groom is the son of Mrs. Burns of Enterprise, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright of Chancellor and Dr. and Mrs. Bill Cowart of Elba.

Tought Year WHEN PEOPLE SWITCH BROKERS... Thursday, September 23 at 6:00 and the late Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Ward of Elba. He received a

> in Marietta, GA. After honeymooning in Wallace Community College

Justin Kyle Mitchell

Cost for the course is \$80 if paid by Sept. 15.



Miss Enterprise Laura Henderson in hosting a get acquainted party Aug. 29 at Boland Lanes in Enterprise. The party was for contestants for the upcoming Miss National Peanut Festival pageant. nd Miss Kelly Corder of Elba. Pictured are (front row, left to right): Miss Kinston Brittany Holley, Miss Defuniak Springs Morgan Miss Emma Gunnells of Elba Parsons, Miss Sneads Rachel Taylor, Miss Hartford Andee Whitaker and Miss Geneva County Dee Dee Hudson; (back row, left to right): Lawford, Henderson. Tindell, Miss Jackson County Meghan Holley. The groom chose his father. Miss Walton County Courtney Miller, Miss Ariton Jennifer Himburg and Miss Malone Casey Alford.

Arrival

Descendants of James Shorter 10:00 A M and a covered dish their annual family reunion on the pavilion behind the church. Saturday, October 2, 2004 at The family of Clem Grimes will New Ebenezer ( Curtis ) Baptist be hosting the reunion this year. Church, Hwy 141, between Elba Contact person is Lucy Grimes and Opp. The reunion begins at Martin @ 334 222-3506.

Grimes Family Reunion set

LaDonna Spoon & Richie Bedsole

Hayley Sumblin & Jason Sasser

Clyde L Sadie

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for Saturday, October 2



bachelor of science in aerospace engineering from Auburn Publisher short

Festival to be held Hawaii, the couple now resides Center for Economic and Workforce Development will offer a two-night course in MS Publisher on Sept. 28 and 30. The classes, taught by David Rose, are designed to help participants use Publisher to create brochures and design multi-page documents. Students will learn how to format text using basic

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Currently, Drs. Fleming Brooks and Patrick Lett are performing many shoulder surgeries arthroscopically, through small tubes utilizing a digital camera for visualization. New bioabsorbable implants and specialized instruments allow surgery such as rotator cuff repair to be done through the arthroscope as an outpatient with no overnight stays. "I have noticed a huge advance in the quality of instruments and sational Spanish including greetings, commonly used expressions, customs, and courcontain most of the neural structures that lead to postoperative pain. Consequently patients seem to hurt much less and recover much more

rapidly than those formerly treated with traditional open surgery." Working as a team with their new physician assistant, therapists and athletic trainers, the surgeons are partners in Southern Bone & Joint in Enterprise. Adds Dr. Brooks, "I feel that with the expertise that Dr. Lett brings with him from his training at the Mayo Clinic along with the outstanding facilities and internal medicine staff we have here in Enterprise, we offer a level of care that is rare for a city of this size." Dr. Brooks and Dr. Lett are currently accepting new patients at the Enterprise office and can be reached at (334)308-9797.



ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School. 10:00 a.m
Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m
Feen Worship 6:00 a.m
Service 6:00 p.m BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sunday School
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Men Worship? 10:30 a.m Wed. Service 6:15 p.m Even. Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m. ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Nathan Carroll - Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morn Worship 11:00 a.m.
Even Worship 5:30 p.m.
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Elsie Phillips-Copes, Pastor
Sunday School. 10:00 a.m.
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Morn Worship

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Greg Hanchey, Minister
Sunday School. 10:00 a.m.

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Overseers - Bro Billy Berry
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### The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

Have you ever heard of disappearing socks? We at the Mularz house seem to buy socks by the bushel, but every time I look for socks to wear the only ones that I seem to find either have holes in them or don't have a match. I guess one way to keep the socks from disappearing is to cut holes in them, but then when you do find some they won't match, anyway. Hey, thank goodness I wear tennis shoes close, white socks all look the same.

### TIGERS REMAIN WINLESS WITH LAST-SECOND LOSS

The Elba Tigers are only two plays away from having two wins but unfortunately for the Tigers games don't end until the final play of the season and stands 0-2 in region play with only five region Lanier stunned Jeff Davis 25-14. What a difference a few years and the 'Cats may be in a bad mood and that won't bode well for the opponents left on the schedule. What had appeared to be such a few private schools can make. In other action Enterprise dumped 'Dogs promising season has turned sour very quickly and all of a sudden the Tigers are fighting for their lives!

Elba was a solid favorite last week heading into its region game against winless Houston Academy, and even though the Tiger defense had been pushed around in both losses, the Raiders had scored only 18 points in two games and the match-up seemed to be just what the doctor ordered. Wrong prescription! Houston fans and left town with a huge region win.

defense for 130 yards and 3 touchdowns, while Brandon Kelly Look for even more big wins this season! added a 68-yard scoring run and Hunter McGuire returned a kick off both Brantley and Houston Academy, and scored only once in the hurt in the college ranks, either first half against Cottonwood. No one expects the offense to score the clock running and limit the number of possessions by the oppo-

The Elba defense surrendered 48 points and almost 500 yards in total offense to a team that had scored only 18 points in two previous games, and once again could not come up with the big play when it needed to make a key stop. While it is true Houston Academy scored 10 points after interceptions, the Elba defense High School. The former Bulldog great was a three-time All-State Luverne 41 Horseshoe Bend 12 repeatedly allowed the Raider running backs to get outside selection while at Brantley and scored 2,267 points and pulled down. T.R. Miller 35 Abbeville 0 untouched and the result was yet another melt down on the defensive side of the ball. The Elba defense has allowed over 43 points a Bulldogs to a 68-7 record and a 28-0 record at home. By the way. Clarke County 29 Central 8 game through three games, which is disappointing to the players. the only other player to have his jersey retired at Brantley is his Straughn 21 Dale County 0 coaches and fans, and has led to three straight losses to open the sea-

athletes on the team, but barely even watches the game when it is not on the field, then jumps up and pulls on its helmets to get back of the honor. Join the fun and contact Fred today. on the field. The defense struggles partly because of its youth and inexperience and in my mind the time has come for the Tigers to put

POLISH PROGNOSTICATOR PLODS ALONG WITH PREPS

Eufaula 17 B.T. Washington 16 their best players on the field on both offense and defense, and rest them with the younger players. Elba has almost totally platooned in its opening three games, while the three teams that beat Elba has and declared that after three weeks things were beginning to settle. Stanhope Elmore 28 Wetumpka 8 most of its players going both ways. Hey, the offense has caught on down in the high school ranks. The local guesspert hit on 23 of his Carver 28 Selma 13 to its system, now it is time for some of those athletes that play only offense to join the team and help out on defense. Until all the play- Brockton over Wicksburg. Leroy over Red Level and Andalusia Enterprise 17 Central 7 into a disaster.

### ONLY A "SO-SO" NIGHT FOR FOOTBALL TEAMS IN AREA

The third week of the high school football season is now in the

that was.... \*\*\* BRANTLEY (3-0) - The Bulldogs made it look easy with a The Elba Tigers will hit the son, but leading the way is Wes Cottonwood, but 'looked very 40-6 romp over Zion Chapel and it is clear that the Bulldogs are road Friday night when they Windham, a 6-3, 260 pound effective in their opening two without a doubt the cream of the crop in 1A circles in South. travel to Hartford to battle the offensive and defensive lineman games and have the players to Alabama. Brantley has scored in the forties in every game without Geneva County Bulldogs in a that has the skills to dominate be successful. Over on defense breaking a sweat and has now begun to dominate on defense: "must win" for the Tigers if they play on both sides of the ball. they love to hit and have very Brantley still has some tough games ahead. However, from this cor- hope to keep their state playoff. Senior wide-receiver Larry good team speed. Geneva ner it looks like the 'Dogs are ready to rumble.

\*\*\* KINSTON (0-3) - The Bulldogs had a chance to get into the The Tigers will enter the Richard Valdez will help team in all areas and Coach win column last week against Pleasant Home, but failed to cash in region contest with an 0-3 Windham provide leadership for Greene has already developed a on a couple of scoring threats and fell to 0-3 with a 21-7 loss to the record, 0-2 in region play, while the youthful 'Dogs, while help- winning attitude into the play-Eagles. Kinston has improved in each and every game and plays the Bulldogs will bring a 1-2 ing spark the offense will be ers." hard for all four quarters, but simply needs something good to hap-record into the game, 1-1 in running backs David Grooms "If we are going to win Friday pen to let the players know they can win and that their hard work region action. will pay off. The 'Dogs may be 0-3, but they aren't losers by any "There is no doubt this is a "It is not a big senior class." football and score points on

\*\*\* NEW BROCKTON (2-1) - The Gamecocks went back to ber of reasons." stated Elba's some baseball players out there County from putting the football the basics last week in a 12-3 region win over Wicksburg and it Scott Rials. "First off we need to that have a taste of what it is like into the endzone." said Rials. sounded like days of old as the Gamecocks pounded the Panthers on get a win after opening the sea- to win and that attitude will only "On offense we cannot turn the almost every snap. New Brockton still wins football games by being son with three tough losses, sec-help us." more physical than its opponents, and last week should make it clear ond we need a win to give our Elba was the preseason pick have a short field to play on. We that the Gamecocks are still very much alive and will always be players a shot of confidence to win the region and compete haven't made a lot of turnovers. more than ready to butt heads with any team that it lines up against with some really big games for a state title. However, the but when we have they have led KALEB DYESS (64) ... an

\*\*\* ZION CHAPEL (0-3) - The Rebels lost to Brantley 40-6, but ahead and third we need to win Tigers have struggled early in to points for our opponents. Elba Tiger senior, saw the scoreboard doesn't tell the whole story as the Rebels showed to get a win in the region and the season and will bring an 0-3. That must stop if we are to have signs of life on offense and rolled up over 250 yards against the keep our playoff hopes alive. mark into the contest with the a good offensive team. On action on both offense and powerful Bulldog defense. Some changes in personnel appeared to There is no doubt this is a very Bulldogs. work well a week ago, and with a little more practice the Rebels big game for us and is a game "Geneva County has played we have the right people in the Tigers' region clash with might actually turn into a team to watch in the region. Don't count we need to win!" these guys out quite yet.

### WEEK #3 OF PREP ACTION PROVES VERY INTERESTING record into Friday night's region said Coach Rials. "Their losses points on defense, but will keep start Friday night in Hartford

The third week of the high school football season is now in the came over Houston Academy Cottonwood, both of which are before long we will find the drive down and give these history books and while many teams won as expected, there were a 25-16, while their losses came undefeated, while they beat right combination and start to young men the support they few surprises that made the week very interesting. Here's a look to Slocomb 31-7 and Houston Academy and held stop some folks. It is never easy deserve. Don't ever doubt for

a 21-15 loss at home to Ariton, and all of the sudden it looks like of losing," said Coach Greene in know how good a team Geneva both sides of the ball, cut down they want to win even more than maybe the Wildcats aren't quite as powerful as advertised. In other a preseason interview. "It is County really is."

on our mistakes on both sides of the fans. Our time will come and action Sweet Water pounded Sunshine 61-16 and J.F. Shields nothing to be proud of and we "Geneva County likes to the ball and play with pride. We hopefully it will come Friday claimed a rare win by getting past Marengo 27-20.

\*\*\* CLASS 2A. - G.W. Long remained undefeated and almost games. We have to learn how to play hard nosed football on still the team that many people unchallenged by rolling past Lanett 34-6, and after three weeks it compete and learn how to win. defense," added Rials. "On thought would battle for the looks like the Rebels may be the surprise team in South Alabama. In We are not going to lower the offense they will spread out the region title. We may not win the other action Luverne flexed its muscles in a 32-13 win over bar. We want to get into the defense and try to hit the holes region, but we still have seven BLACK & GOLD Highland Home, Red Level fell from the ranks of the unbeaten with playoffs and that is what we with their running backs and games in the regular season and a 17-6 road loss to Leroy and Houston County kept on winning with play for."

\*\*\* CLASS 3A - T.R. Miller moved to 3-0 with a less than excit- dot the Bulldogs' roster this sea- lems last week against have some fun later in the sea- IN HARTFORD!! ing 21-0 win over Dale County, and just like always it looks like the

igers are taking it slow and easy as they make plans to be playing ELBA AT GENEVA COUNTY. straight win by spanking Headland 34-0.

14'win over Escambia County and after three weeks it looks like the shucks. I never was too good at adding and subtracting anyway. Bulldogs may be as good as many thought before the season kicked ELBA 32 GENEVA COUNTY 22 off. In other action defending state champ Trinity clobbered Bullock County 60-6, Opp bounced back from its loss to Geneva with a big NEW BROCKTON AT SAMSON 49-0 romp past Rehobeth.

to work and unless someone wants to get on their knees to look. Washington, and it looks like the Eagles may be headed back in the flawless performance to avoid being a late night snack. wrong direction after a few solid seasons. In other action Eufaula NEW BROCKTON 20 SAMSON 16 posted a hard fought 3-0 region win over Greenville, Charles Henderson had its hands full before pulling out a 17-12 win over FLORALA AT KINSTON

Northyjew 28-7, Dothan fell to 1-2 with a 15-7 loss to Opelika and FLORALA 27 KINSTON 7 Prattyille kept on winning with an easy 44-6 romp past Selma.

### FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH ...

to agree that the Trojans are now a mid-major power. The Trojans appear ready to head back into action this week to defend their Academy lit up the scoreboard for 48 points and rolled up 475 yards have always been able to line up and be physical with just about any home turf against some felines from over in McKenzie. This should in total offense as the Raiders stunned the Elba players, coaches and of their opponents, and last week they showed that they also have be a battle until the ammunition runs out. the coaching staff in place that can make changes on the run that can MCKENZIE 22 ZION CHAPEL 20 The Elba offense was practically unstoppable in the first half and turn games around. The win could make it harder for Troy to get the scored 34 points in just two quarters while piling up over 250 yards so-called "big teams" to come to South Alabama, but it was one for BRANTLEY AT ARITON in total offense. Kikko Logan ran over and around the Raider the books and one that should have plenty of company before long. The top spot in the region will be on the line Friday night when

99 yards and 10 inches for another score. The offense bogged down

Trojans wearing their jerseys outside their pants. Many of the enough weapons to score from anywhere on the field at any time. in the second half, however, and went almost 24 minutes without a Trojans had their jerseys out even before the game began, and with and they will need most of them this week to slow down the 'Cats'. score, and needed a last-minute drive and a Hail Mary pass to regain so many youngsters watching and wanting to be like their heroes. I BRANTLEY 34 ARITON 14 the lead. I know the Elba offense is averaging almost 32 points a am afraid it will filter its way down to the youth leagues. In high game, but the offense scored only once in the second half against school it is a rule jerseys must be tucked in, and that rule wouldn't OTHER PICKS:

\*\*\* The other two big names in college across the state had easy Pleasant Home 18 Goshen 16 every time it touches the ball, but consistency would at least keep weeks as Auburn made it look easy with a 43-14 pasting of Red Level 28 Bayside 10 Mississippi State and Alabama used a solid defense to dump Ole Cottonwood 39 Houston Academy 1 Miss 28-7. Both teams looked very good at times in the wins and Leroy 27 Flomaton 0 looked kind of average at other times, but both moved to 2-0 on the Washington County 36 Georgiana season and kept their fans happy.

\*\*\* Former Auburn All-American and current NBA star Wesley Houston County 34 Wicksburg 6 Person had his basketball jersey #11 retired last week at Brantley G.W. Long 20 Beulah 12 716 rebounds during his high school career as he helped lead the Barbour County 32 Calhoun 30

\*\*\* In closing.... I have heard that plans are being made to honor Slocomb 20 Pike County 18 So. What do the Tigers need to do? I just watch the games and former Elba Tiger head coach Mack Wood at the homecoming game UMS-Wright 37 Andalusia 21 me is the fact that this on October 8 and anyone that would like to help or take part should Ashford 21 Rehobeth 14 year's Elba Tigers are actually two teams in one, one that plays contact Fred Smith Jr., as soon as possible. Coach Wood led the Thomasville 45 Choctaw County 12 offense and one that plays defense. The offense clearly has the best Tigers to two state titles and made the Tigers one of the state's top Trinity 31 Daleville 3 football programs, regardless of classification, and is very deserving Geneva 27 Saint James 17

Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator stopped by early Sunday morning Blount 30 Monroe County 0 28 picks last week and did come through on such foss-ups as New Dothan 21 Smiths Station 14 ers work together the losses could mount and the season could turn over Escambia County. The week's work moved his three-week Lanier 29 R.E. Lee 28 totals to 60-18, which ain't a bad start. Here are this week's picks.... Opelika 28 Northview 3

for many weeks to come. In other action W.S. Neal continued its . The Pea River felines saw the clock strike midnight a little toostruggles with an 18-14 to region newcomer Slocomb, Straughn soon last week in a wild loss to the Raiders from over in Houston made quick work of Abbeville 42-6 and Pike County got its second County, and if my arithmetic is right they will be underdogs again this week since the 'Dogs from down in Geneva County beat the \*\*\* CLASS 4A - Andalusia moved to 2-0 in the region with a 15- Raiders by 9 points and the Raiders beat the felines by six. Aw

42-0 win over #10 Daleville and Geneva moved to 3-0 with an easy 
The Gamecocks went toe-to-toe with a mess of Panthers last week and didn't lose a feather as they evened their region record. \*\*\* CLASS 5A - Carroll, of Ozark, remained winless on the This week the Gamecocks will fly down to Samson to tangle with young season after absorbing a 30-7 defeat at the hands of B.T. some mighty dangerous Tigers, and it will take their another near

Wetumpka and Hueytown almost broke the clock in rolling past The Bulldogs from down near the county line let another one slip away last week and now must get ready for a cat fight against a \*\*\* CLASS 6A - The football world up in Montgomery official- batch of felines from down near the Florida line The Kinston ly changed Friday night after Carver ripped Robert E. Lee 26-7 and canines will get a win before the season winds down, but this week

MCKENZIE AT ZION CHAPEL

The Rebels from up in Jack marched back home last week after a battle near the Crenshaw County line and even though they were \*\*\* I watched Troy's big win over Missouri last week and have forced to retreat, they did come home in pretty good shape and

the River 'Dogs from over in Crenshaw County head to Ariton to \*\*\* The only negative in the game last week up in Troy was the chase down the undefeated Purple Cats. The 'Dogs have more than

Highland Home 37 B.B. Comer 22 Opp 33 Bullock County 6 Carroll 20 Russell County 19 Charles Henderson 14 Greenville 0

### Friday night against Geneva County

# books and for the teams in the area it was just a so-so night as two teams won and the other two lost. Here's a look back at the week Elba Tigers face "must win" region battle

«hopes alive.

very big game for us for a num- admitted Greene, "but we have offense, and keep Geneva

Toby Greene, will bring a 1-2 what kind of team it really has," We have given up way too many son. Our new season needs to match-up. The Bulldogs win were to Slocomb and working to improve and maybe and I hope all the Elba fans will

Cottonwood 51-0.

them to only sixteen points. to win on the road, but Friday one second that these young \*\*\* CLASS 1A - Florala saw its run through the region end with "I am tired of losing and sick That should let the Elba fans night we have to play well on men don't play hard and that have to get the kids out and win spread the field on offense and are still the Elba Tigers and are night."

throw short passes to their if we take care of business we

Sullen and senior linebacker County has a solid 2A football

and freshman Brian Sullen. . night we will have to move the ball over and let Geneva County we need to win!"

three very good teams and its right positions and need to just Houston Academy.

Geneva County, coached by record is not an indication of play solid, hard nosed football.



defense we need to make sure defense last week in the

SHOW YOUR PRIDE Only a hand full of seniors receivers. They had some prob- can still make the playoffs and | FRIDAY NIGHT

# SPORTS



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Elba Tiger quarterback Brandon Kelley (10) heads Geneva County Bulldogs.



week's region battle against Houston Academy. This a Houston Academy running back. The Tigers saw their Academy. Logan gained 200 yards on 22 carries of week the Tigers will travel to Hartford to meet the record slip to 0-3 last week with a 48-42 loss to the scored 3 touchdowns and one two-point conversion



Elba Tiger running back Kikko Logan (2) looks to

# Tigers are outscored 48-42 in wild offensive shoot-out

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor the opening kick off and Raiders were on top 7-0. Photos by Mike Capps

Houston Academy received 8:58 left in the first quarter the added 52 yards on five carries

Elba Tiger defensive tackle Ryan McCollough (79) the drive was an 11-yard pass on top 28-21. closes in on the Houston Academy quarterback as he from Watson Downs to Michael Neither team found its way possessions of the third quarter and Mason Gulley pulled in applies a pass rush in last week's region battle.



Elba Tiger linebacker Ryan Gibbs (42) and Jessie gallop through the Elba defense. quarter the Tigers owned a 34- Academy owned a 41-34 lead. yards on 22 carries and scored Thigpen (59) arrive to help as a teammate makes a stop Alex Burkett added the extra- 24 advantage. in last week's clash with Houston Academy.

STATISTICS 1st Downs 26-281 Rushes-Yds. Passing Yds. 184 Total Offense 11-25-3 8-18-2 Passes Fumbles/Lost 3/1 2-36 3-41 Punts-Ave. Penalties-Yds.

promptly marched 76 yards in Elba's Hunter McGuire seven plays to get on the score-returned the ensuing kick off 24 The Elba Tigers remained board. Freshman quarterback vards to set the Tigers up on winless on the season Friday Watson Downs connected on their own 30-yardline, and from night after being outscored 48- two passes for 25 yards during there it took Elba seven plays to 42 by the Houston Academy the scoring drive, while Stanley cover the 70 yards into the end-Raiders, in a key Class 2A. Jones scored the touchdown on zone. Brandon Kelley hit both Region, 2 clash, at Elba's Tiger a 32-vard dash. Alex Burkett his passes for 18 yards during kicked the extra-point and with the drive, while Kikko Logan nd scored the Figer touchdown a 16-yard scamper. The tra-point was wide, and with

uarter Elba still trailed 7-6. Elba began its next posseson at the Houston Academy 7-vardline after an unsuccessful fourth down gamble by the eeded only four plays to move into the endzone. Kikko Logan was again the work horse of the drive with 35 yards on two carscored the touchdown on a 16the two-point conversion and

Gulley on third down and eight 21-yardline. After a running into a frenzy!

ries, and it was Logan that Elba Tiger cheerleaders still believe the Tigers are #1 even after the 0-3 start to 11 yard dash. Brandon Kelley season. The cheerleaders will be trying to keep the Tiger fans confident and excited passed to LaRay Williams for this week when Elba travels to Hartford to meet the Geneva County Bulldogs.

off and marched 57 yards in ten and with 7:31 remaining in the to cut the Elba lead to 34-27 at Raider 40-yardline. Kelley plays to pull even. A key play in second quarter Elba was back intermission.

Saliba on fourth down and ten at into the endzone on its next pos- as the two teams failed to reach pass and trotted into the vin the Elba 42-vardline, while the session, but the Raiders began a the endzone, but the Raiders got zone for a 40-yard touchdow touchdown came on a 6-yard series at midfield with 4:52 their offense on track late in the with only :19 remaining in t run by Stanley Jones. Burkett remaining on the clock and did stanza and marched 92 yards in game. Elba called a time of booted the extra-point and with salvage three points out of the ten plays to once again catch the attempt a two-point conversion 11:43 remaining in the second possession. Houston Academy Tigers, Houston Academy had and on the play Kikko Logan quarter the region rivals were moved to a first down at the to overcome three 10-yard pulled away from a would be Elba began its next series at ning of Stanley Jones and Tyler march, but did take advantage mage and fought his way its own 32-yardline after a 28. Peters and the passing of of a 15-yard walk off against the endzone to put the Tigers vard kick off return by Hunter : Watson Downs, but the drive Elba to keep the drive early: top 42-41: McGuire, and this time it took bogged down and the Raiders Stanley Jones was the work The celebration on the Elba the Tigers only two plays to had to settle for three points as horse of the march as he gained side of the field didn't last to

a touchdown. Stefaun Burks within 28-24 with 1:30 remain- extra-point and with 8:01 left in sailed out of bounds, an kicked the extra-point and with ing in the half. 11:12 left in the second quarter Elba didn't take long to tied at 34-34: Elba was back on top 21-14. answer the Houston Academy Houston Academy got the from Watson Downs to Andrette Houston Academy was down, score as on the ensuing kick off ball right back when Turner Brooks moved Houston but not for long, as the Raiders the Tigers' Hunter McGuire Jones intercepted an Elba pass Academy to the 46, while took the ensuing kick off and fielded the kick just inches from and returned the interception 16 the next play Downs rolled or drove 60 yards in only three the goal line and set sails up the yards to the Elba 24-yardline, to avoid the Elba rush and plays to catch the Tigers. A 15- field 99 yards for a touchdown. and two plays later the Raiders tossed a strike to a streaking vard penalty against the Tigers McGuire had one man to beat at had regained the lead when on Andrew Dove for a 54 yard for a late hit was a key play in the Raider 30-yardline, but third down and ten Tyler Peters' touchdown pass. Burkett tacked the scoring drive, while it was dodged the would be tackler and took a hand off up the middle on the extra-point and with the Stanley Jones that got the raced into the endzone for the and raced untouched 24 yards left it was all over as Houston Raiders back in the endzone touchdown. The extra-point try for a touchdown. Burkett boot- Academy claimed the wild 48when he scored his third touch- was wide, and with 1:14 ed the extra-point and with 5:44 42 region win. down of the half on a 34-yard remaining in the wild second remaining on the clock Houston Kikko Logan gained 20

half Houston Academy had ered a Raider fumble at the ing possession, but two penal- added 71 yards on 2 carries and caught the Tigers at 21-21. Houston Academy 44-yardline ties helped the Tiger defense added 1 touchdown. Kelley The teams swapped pass with :59 left on the clock and force a Raider punt, and with connected on 11 of 25 passes interceptions on their next pos- the Tigers had thoughts of 1:22 left on the clock the Tigers for 184 yards and one touch sessions, with Elba winding up adding a late touchdown. The regained possession at its own down, but was intercepted 3 with the ball at its own 39-yard- thoughts didn't last long; how- 4-yardline. Elba went to the air- times, with Mason Gulley bein line following an interception ever, as on second down the ways in an attempt to move his favorite target with 4 cates and 18-yard return by Marquize Raiders' Tyler Peters intercepted down the field and in six plays es for 97 yards and 1 score. Tyson. A 23-yard pass from an Elba pass and refurned the covered the 96 yards into the Houston Academy was led by Brandon Kelley to Mason interception 46 yards to the Elba endzone to send the Elba fans Stanley Jones with 233 yards on

the fourth quarter the score was stunned the Tigers by scoring to

point and with 9:35 left in the Elba's Adam Spicer recov- downs at midfield on its ensu- ground, while Brandon Kelley

with 2:28 still left in the second was a key play in the scoring play resulted in a two yard loss, Mason Gulley pulled in quarter Elba had moved ahead drive, while Kikko Logan Houston Academy's Alex Brandon Kelley passes to scored his third touchdown of Burkett hurried onto the field yards to get the drive starte The Elba lead didn't last for the half on a 36-yard run to put and as the horn sounded to end while a 22-yard pass from Ke long, however, as Houston the Tigers back on top. Stefaun the half Burkett's 38-yard field- to LaRay Williams moved Academy took the ensuing kick Burks booted the extra-point goal sailed through the uprights Tigers across midfield to

ed a high pass deep down Punts ended the initial three sidelines on the first dow) Elba 12-yardline behind the run- penalties on the long scoring tackler behind the line of scrim

reach paydirt as Brandon Kelley on fourth down Alex Burkett 68 yards on five carries and long; however, as the Raiders kept on an option and raced came in and booted a 22-yard scored the touchdown on a 5- put the ball in play at their own down the sidelines 68 yards for field-goal as the Raiders pulled yard run. Burkett booted the 35-yardline after the kick of only two plays. An 11-yard pas

Elba turned the ball over on touchdowns to lead Elba on the

22 carries and 4 touchdowns.



Members of the Zion Chapel Marching Rebel Band had reason to cheer Friday night Even the Brantley Bulldog himself got into the act Friday night as Brantley rolled The Rebels will host McKenzie Friday night in a region clash.



as the Rebels rolled up over 250 yards in total offense against the Brantley Bulldogs. past Zion Chapel 40-6 to improve its record to 3-0 on the season. The Bulldogs will travel to Ariton Friday night for a region battle against undefeated Ariton.



Brantley Bulldog kicker Marcus Owens (48) boots an Austin Smith made a fine 11- saw the potential scoring drive handoff in last week's region battle in Brantley. Wise (8). The Bulldogs will put their undefeated record on the possession to pump life into the fumble was scooped up by line Friday night in a region showdown with Ariton. Zion Chapel offense, but the Brantley's Devaris Skanes and in the game.

The high school football season will enter its fourth week of drive. action Friday night with another round of region contests, and for Brantley began its ensuing Brantley was in complete comteams in the area this week's games include what appear to be a possession at the Zion Chapel mand with a 33-0 lead. Following is a preview of this week's games:

### NEW BROCKTON (2-1) AT SAMSON (1-2)

The New Brockton Gamecocks will be looking to improve to 2- loped 43 yards for the touch- play the Bulldogs' Edgar Walker 11:47 remaining on the clock, added 72 yards on 20 carries to I in region play Friday night when they travel to Samson to tangle down, and Marcus Owens hit Antwan Foster for 24 yards while a two-point pass failed to lead Zion Chapel, with the Samson Tigers. The Gamecocks claimed an important 'drilled the extra-point as to move the Dogs to the Zion connect as Brantley's lead region win over Wicksburg last week, and returned to the basics on Brantley's lead went to 19-0 Chapel 12-yardline. Walker remained at 40-6. both offense and defense to dominate the Panthers. Samson will with 5:28 left in the first quarter. connected with Zack Kilcrease The Rebels managed a 13 enter the game with a 1-2 record after a season opening win over. The Rebels took the ensuing on a 12-yard fade route on the play drive late in the gam Georgiana 15-12 and back-to-back losses to Wicksburg 33-20 and kick off and behind the hard next play in the corner of the sparked by the running Houston County 28-6. The Tigers have a new coach, a new atti- running of Hunter Wise put endzone for a Brantley touch- Charlie Hurd and a 25-yard past tude, and will be looking to get back in the win column Friday together a 10 play drive that down, and after Owens drilled from Austin Smith to Al night against the Gamecocks. This should be another physical bat- crossed the midfield stripe. The the extra-point the Bulldogs Childs. However, the driven tle in which New Brockton will be slightly favored.

### MCKENZIE (1-2) AT ZION CHAPEL (0-3)

The Zion Chapel Rebels will be looking to get into the win colar their own 20-yardline follow- After a Zion Chapel punt and horn the Bulldogs had the win umn this week when they host the McKenzie Tigers at Green ing a Zion Chapel punt. a Brantley fumble, the Rebels 40-6, Memorial Stadium. The Rebels will bring an 0-3 record into the region clash, but showed signs of improvement last week in rolling will be looking to carry that over this week against the only team this season with a 14-8 win over 2A Flomaton and will be looking upon us, the Alabama preferred foods and may be For further information or Enterprise (334) 347-9467. to pay the Rebels back for last year's loss. The Tigers have lost to Department of Conservation manipulated by mowing, raking, clarification of the regulation, Pleasant Home 20-12 and Goshen 7-6 since their opening win, but and Natural Resources reminds disking, or burning. feel like they should be 3-0, and will bring that confidence to Jack hunters that fields must meet It is legal to hunt over normal at www.outdooralabama.com or

### FLORALA (2-1) AT KINSTON (0-3)

The Kinston Bulldogs will be hoping to get into the win column is October 9 through November ing a cover crop in low-input brochure "Management and this week and keep its playoff hopes alive when they host the 6. November 24 through management systems. This Hunting of Mourning Doves in Florala Wildcats. The Bulldogs have played well at times in all. November 28, and December 11 planting practice requires a three games and could easily stand at 2-1 for the season, but mis- through January 15. Except for well-prepared seedbed. A well takes have proven fatal to the 'Dogs and this week it will take a opening day when hunting prepared seedbed involves adenear perfect performance for Kinston to have a chance at pulling of the upset. Florala will bring a 2-1 record into the Friday night begins at noon, the shooting quate tilling of the soil so that hours are one-half hour before when the seeds are planted there battle and has posted wins over J.U. Blacksher 26-0 and Zion sunrise until sunset in both will be good soil-to-seed contact Chapel 47-0, while losing last week to region rival Ariton 21-15. zones. The Wildcats are one of the teams to beat in the region, and need The following information hard (i.e., it can easily be peneto win this week on the road to regain their momentum after last should clarify any issues contrated by the developing root of week's home loss. Florala will be a heavy favorite to win this cerning dove fields, and help the germinating small grain

### BRANTLEY (3-0) AT ARITON (3-0)

The top spot in the Class 1A. Region 2 standings will be up for Hunting over harvested or lishing a good stand is more grabs Friday night when the undefeated Brantley Bulldogs travel manipulated standing crops is a uncertain than with drilling or over to Ariton to tangle with the undefeated Ariton Purple Cats. legal method of hunting doves. other methods that result in cov-The Bulldogs have made it look easy in rolling to a 3-0 record and In fact, hunting over harvested erage of seed. have two of the state's top backs in Devaris Skanes and Chris or manipulated standing cross. The planting zones for the Booker, while over on defense the 'Dogs have given up some may provide excellent dove. State of Alabama are as follows: yardage each and every week, but have never backed down from a hunting over a longer period of South Zone Counties challenge. The Purple Cats of Coach Julius Head moved to 3-0 last time than is provided by a small Baldwin, Barbour, Butler

eek with a 21-15 win over previously unbeaten Florala and will grain planting. Doves are Choctaw, Clarke, Coffee, attracted to areas that have Conecuh, Covington, Crenshaw, abundant seed or grains. Dale, Escambia, Geneva, Henry, 6, and c. all but clinch the region title with a win this week. Standing crops such as brown- Houston, Marengo, Mobile, Brantley will be a slight favorite in this key region contest. top millet, dove proso millet and Monroe, Pike, Washington,

### Improve record to 3-0 Brantley Bulldogs coast past Zion Chapel 40-6

By Gree Brunson Photos by Janet Brunson

> The Brantley Bulldogs and apparent touchdown, but a ion Chapel Rebels did battle penalty flag for an illegal block riday night in Brantley and the brought the long run back and ulldogs used a big play offense nullified the score. The penalty

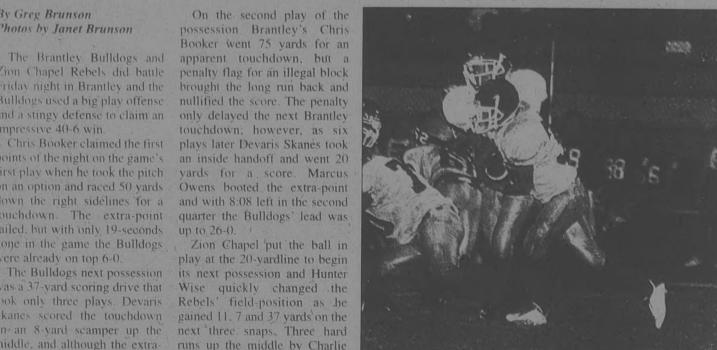
oints of the night on the game's an inside handoff and went 20 st play when he took the pitch yards for a score. Marcus n an option and raced 50 yards. Owens booted the extra-point own the right sidelines for a and with 8:08 left in the second ouchdown. The extra-point quarter the Bulldogs' lead was ailed, but with only 19-seconds up to 26-0.

The Bulldogs next possession its next possession and Hunter was a 37-yard scoring drive that Wise quickly changed the ook only three plays. Devaris Rebels' field-position as he Skanes scored the touchdown gained 11, 7 and 37 yards on the on an 8-yard scamper up the next three snaps. Three hard middle, and although the extra- runs up the middle by Charlie point try again failed, Brantley's Hurd got the Rebels to the lead stood at 12-0 with 7:34 still Brantley 10-yardline, but on

43-yardline and once again it. Chris Booker recovered a went to Byron McWaters for a and added a 95-yard score on a

drive stalled after moving into owned a 40-0 advantage with ended at the Brantley 28-ya the 'Dogs regained possession ond half.

planting practice is that estab-



remaining in the first quarter. third down and five Zion Chapel Zion Chapel running back Hunter Wise (34) takes a oint out of the hold of teammate Edgar Walker, ward run on the Rebels' next come to an abrupt end when a gained 87 yards on 15 carries to lead the Rebel offense

excitement was short-lived as the speedy Bulldog defender began their next possession at The Brantley offense was led on the next play Brantley's raced untouched 95 yards for a their own 30-yardline. Zion by Chris Booker with 103 yards Jeffery Daniels intercepted a Bulldog touchdown. Marcus Chapel used 15 plays to cover and I touchdown on only three Rebel pass to stop the short. Owens added the extra-point, the 70 yards into the endzone, carries, while Devaris Skanes and with 3:04 left in the half led by Austin Smith, who pitched in with 82 yards on five

took the Bulldogs only three Zion Chapel fumble at the Rebel total of 28 yards. The touch-fumble recovery. plays to reach paydirt. Devaris 36-yardline early in the third down came on a 17-yard pass Hunter Wise gained 87 yards Skanes took a hand off and gal-quarter, and on the very next from Smith to Jamie Wise with on 15 carries and Charlie Hurd

Brantley territory; however, and only 43-seconds gone in the sec- dine with less than a minute le

### STATISTICS

	B		- ZC
f	9	1st Downs	1 14
5	15-198	Rushes-Yds .	49-186
3	53	Passing Yds.	7.6
3.10	251	Total Offense	262
	3-7-0	Passes	5-11-1
t .	159	Return Yds,	85
	1	Fumbles Lost	2
1		Penalties-Yds.	4-25
	1-45 .	Punts-Ave.	3-32

### region clash, but showed signs of improvement last week in rolling up over 250 yards in total offense against 1A power Brantley, and Dove hunters reminded of legal requirements for fields

With dove hunting season peredovik sunflower are highly Wilcox

and the soil is not excessively

avoid problems which may seed). Growers should be aware result from improperly prepared that the risk associated with this fields.

certain guidelines to be consid- agricultural plantings. Top sow- call the Wildlife and Freshwater ered legal for hunting. ing of wheat is a recommended Fisheries district office in your The South Zone split season planting practice for establish- area to request a copy of the

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A New Brockton Gamecock running back bursts through a big hole in the Wicksburg added 6 tackles, with two com-Panther defense in Friday night's 12-3 region win. The Gamecocks will be looking to ing on quarterback sacks. go 2-1 in the region this week when they travel to Samson to meet the Samson Tigers.



Kinston Bulldog cheerleaders and fans line the field prior to the kickoff to create a MONDAY, SEPT. 20 spirit line. The Bulldogs will be looking to get in the win column this week when they Dauphin Jr. at Elba 4:00 (9th) host the Florala Wildcats in an important region contest.

### Kinston Bulldogs caged by Eagles 21-7

By Scott Johnson Photos by Mary Johnson

from Pleasant Home Friday work. night in a hard fought contest Kinston again failed to hold in the final stanza Jonathan

Boyington kicked the extra-sidelines and raced 90 yards for get any closer, as Pleasant point and Pleasant Home was on a touchdown. Cole Meek's Home took over on downs. top early 7-0. Kinston's defense was much Kinston had cut the Eagle lead icing the win as David Hamby better the second time around, in half at 14-7. and after a short run and an Pleasant Home ate up the for a touchdown, and Casey incomplete pass Pleasant Home final five minutes of the half as Boyington booted the extrafaced a third down and eight. the Eagles used 16 plays to point, to give the Eagles a 21-7 Matt Parker tackled David cover 64 yards and moved deep lead with just over a minute

on the key third down play, and Odom came through with a cru-Kinston will be looking to get the Eagles were forced to punt cial sack to prevent a score from in the win column next week from deep in their own endzone. inside the 1-yardline, and at the when they host the Florala Keith Tew was hit hard on the half the Bulldogs went in still Wildcats. Kick off is set for 7:00 courageous punt return, but the trailing 14-7. Bulldogs were back in business Kinston received the second in Eagle territory. Garrett Parker half kick off and moved across hit Cole Meeks in the flats and a midfield on a succession of strong run after the catch moved rushes by Garrett Parker, only to Kinston inside the 20-yardline. see the drive stopped on a fum-An errant snap, a sack and a ble. penalty backed the Bulldogs up; Pleasant Home failed to move however, and while a Keith Tew the chains on its initial possespass to Josh Grice gained nine sion of the half as Kinston's yards on third down, a fourth Joseph McCrummen had a key down pass missed its target as sack and Billy Johnson and

the scoring opportunity. away Eagle aerials.

The Bulldog defense again The Bulldogs regained posrefused to allow the Eagles to session inside their own 30move the chains, with a key play yardline, and after long recepbeing a third down sack by Cole tions by Cole Meeks and Josh Meeks, and the Bulldogs were Grice placed the football outside once again in excellent field the Pleasant Home 10-yardline. position after a punt return by An apparent touchdown run by

Keith Tew. The Bulldogs turned the ball holding penalty, and on the next back over to Pleasant Home play the Bulldogs turned the ball only one play later when a over again on a fumble to kill tipped pass was intercepted by the potential scoring march.

the Eagles' Jerod Powell, but the Big hits by Mitchell Whaley, 'Dog defense got the ball back Josh Driver and Joseph on a Cole Meeks interception to McCrummen helped the Kinston hosted the Eagles put the Kinston offense back to Bulldogs stop the Eagles on the

from start to finish and although onto the ball as the battle of Edwards intercepted an Eagle the Bulldogs trailed from the interceptions continued when pass to stop yet another Pleasant opening drive they never gave Pleasant Home's Scotty Home drive. up and had a chance for victory McCraney picked off a Bulldog The Kinston defense continuntil the Eagles soared out of pass. This time the Eagles did ued its second half dominance reach in the final minute of the hold onto the ball, and hit pay- on the Eagles next possession as game to claim the 21-7 win. dirt when Brad Sanders lofted a big stops by Matt Odom and After the opening kick off 52-yard touchdown pass to Issac Brad Elmore forced a Pleasant angled out of bounds the Eagles Edgar. Casey Boyington added Home punt that gave the ball used 10 plays to cover the 65 the extra-point and midway back to the Bulldogs near midyards to the endzone. David through the second quarter field. A short completion to Hamby rushed four times for 26 Pleasant Home was in command Billy Johnson and a 36-yard toss

yards and Issac Edgar hauled in with a 14-0 advantage. to Robert Yates moved the an 18-yard pass to cover most of Keith Tew fielded the ensuing 'Dogs inside the Pleasant Home the yardage, while quarterback kick off near the 10-yardline and 15-yardline with two minutes Brad Sanders scored the touch- found a wall of Bulldog block- left on the clock, but the Eagle down from two yards out ers ahead of him as he broke defense rose to the challenge around the left end. Casey through a hole down the right and refused to let the Bulldogs kicked the extra-point and The Eagles wasted little time

Hanby at the line of scrimmage into Bulldog territory. Matt remaining in the contest.

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the Bulldogs failed to cash in on Jonathan Edwards both tipped

Garrett Parker was nullified by a

HERE WE COME....New Brockton quarterback

Gamecocks flatten Panthers 12-3

The first quarter began with Derrick Cook (10) barks out signals to the Gamecock neither team being able to move offense in last week's 12-3 win over Wicksburg.

on top 3-0.

Even region record at 1-1

Story and photos by Robby

Gamecocks improved their. record to 2-1 on the season and

Stadium following a 12-3 victo-

s it allowed the Panthers only 26 yards rushing and 49 yards in otal offense. Tanner Medley led he way both on offense and

ushing on 11 carries with ouchdowns and added 11 tack

across the goal line for a New the Gamecocks were in com-Brockton touchdown. A penalty mand with a 12-3 lead.

position late in the quarter fol- but the Gamecocks were on the add to their lead in the fourth lowing a New Brockton punt scoreboard and went in at the quarter on a 45-yard dash by and moved in to score their only half with a 6-3 lead. Medley. However, a penalty flag points of the night. The score New Brockton began the sec- for holding nullified the came on a 27-yard field goal ond half with a bang when Gamecock score, and New and with :33 remaining in the Adam Crosby recovered an on- Brockton turned matters over to first quarter putting Wicksburg sides kick, but the Gamecocks its defense as the Gamecocks failed to move the chains and held on to post the big 12-3 win.

mand and ruled the action until The Gamecocks put the ball late in the half, when the in play with excellent field-posi-Gamecocks began a march tion after a shanked Panther NB toward the Panther endzone: punt and New Brockton cashed 9 1st Downs

get the ball in excellent field-helped doom the extra-point try, The Gamecocks appeared to

STATISTICS

The Gamecocks faced a third in on the scoring opportunity 40-160 Rushing Yds. 25-26 down and four at the Wicksburg when Tanner Medley scored 12 Passing Yds. 23 7-yardline, and on the key third from a yard out. A penalty again 172 Total Offense 49 down play Tanner Medley got resulted in an unsuccessful two- 1-2-0 Passes 3-10-0 the call and responded as he carpoint conversion, but with 1:42 1/0 Fumbles/Lost 1/0 ried three Panther defenders remaining in the third quarter 8-60 Penalties-Yds. 4-31

### ELBA TIGER VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

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### EES collecting box tops for education by Casey Medlock

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ment for the school. All anyone has to do to help is boxtops4education.com. clip Box Tops from any of the Remember...tell friends and hundreds of participating family near and far to clip Box General Mills products, and the Tops too, and help Elba box Tops are worth 10 cents each Elementary reach its goal. when the school redeems them Please join in making a differfrom General Mills.

by Stephanie Corder

Laura Baxley.

ing is 16.

This week's student spotlight is Stephanie Baxley, the 16year-old daughter of Danny and

Stephanie is a junior at Elba

High School where she plays

varsity softball and is an EHS

Ambassador. She also is the mellophone section leader for

Stephanie enjoys playing soft-

ball and just hanging with her

friends and family. She

describes herself as a daring.

outgoing person. She also con-

siders herself as a people per-

Congratulations, Stephanie, spotlight!

Did You Know?...Some interesting facts

the teachers at biba High having 33 years. However, Mrs

I also discovered that the your dedication and hard work.

PICTURE OF THE WEEK (by Rebecca English)...Ahhh. a

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to purchase playground equip- of the project can be checked on throughout the year by visiting

ence for the school.

president; and Judson Vaughan, treasurer.



for being this week's student



by Tori Brooks

Leigh Davis is one of the new

iculty members at Elba

Elementary School. She came

This is Ms. Davis' first year as

first grade teacher. She was a

tudent teacher at Elba and also

substitute teacher for Mrs.

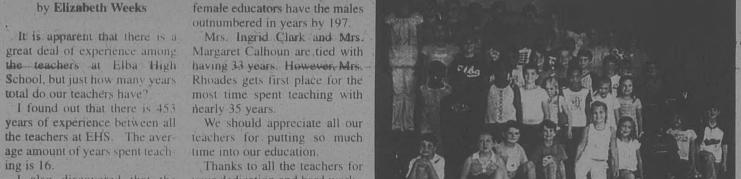
Palmer last year for grades

Davis teaches everything

maller than Troy, but everyone dents.

fourth through sixth.

they grasp subjects.



### E.E.S.Menu Sept. 20-24, 2004

BREAKFAST Monday - Cinnamon Bur Cheese, Cereal, Juice, Milk ausage, Cereal; Juice, Milk ausage, Cereal, Juice, Milk

lelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Monday - Hot Dog Potato Rounds, California Vegetables, Cookie, Milk English Peas, Roll, 1/2 Apple,

Thursday - Vegetable Beef Soup, Cheese Sandwich Crackers, 1/2 Orange, Milk

This Week's Game ... Elba vs. Geneva County Friday, Sept. 17th in Hartford

by Duke Carr 6th is 8:00-3:00 This is the time of year when 7<sup>th</sup> is Noon-3:00 Hunter Education Cards can be COFFEE COUNTY purchased. A card can be 334-347-9467 btained by enrolling in one of November 3,4,5 he many Hunter Education New Brockton Farm Center 5:30-9:00

s friendly, especially the chil- It seems Ms. Davis is making

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### Elba High School chooses class officers...by Gale Olson





vice president; and Sydney Brunson, secretary.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS are (from left to right) Shawnda SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS are (from left to right) Jessica Whitfield, secretary; Gale Olson, president; Whitney Anderson, vice Merklin, treasurer; Rebecca English, president; Mallory Allen, vice

and do whatever is necessary for the school to such places as the library, nurse's office, gym, pencil store, office, and their class-

When the tour is completed, the student must be brought ... H sais After that the "Welcome Buddy" must help the teacher get textbooks and the other supplies needed for the class. They must also help the new student learn the procedures and policies of the classroom. The "Welcome Buddies" pro-

gram is very exciting and help-belongs to Brittany Hudson, a ful, and to all our "Welcome, junior at Elba High School. Buddies" keep up the good E.E.S. welcomes new faculty member

daughter of Tabatha Hudson. She is involved in several clubs such as Spanish Club. VICA, and Mu-Alpha Theta. Brittany is currently employed at Southeast Pharmaceuticals where she is a receptionist and helps ship and pull in their medicine.

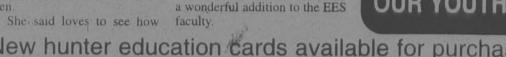
This week's Co-Op, Spotlight

Brittany 18 the 16-year-old

When asked what she liked about her job, Brittany replied, "George Taylor." After high school. Brittany plans to attend Troy State University. She describes herself as being

outgoing, very energetic and friendly; however we classify her as this week's co-op spot-

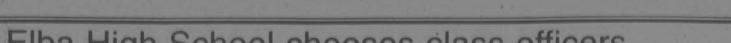
when they learn new things and SUPPORT Ms. Davis said Elba is much she likes teaching young stu-OUR YOUTH!!



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from phonics and math to language and reading, and she said Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast & er favorite part of teaching elementary students is seeing the LUNCH expression on their faces when excited the children become

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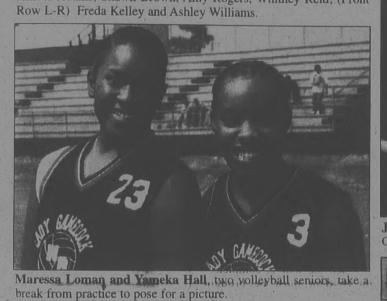


THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2004

NBHS Senior Football Players, Trainers, & Cheerleaders...(Back Row L-R) Drew Donaldson, Doug Salter, Chris Miranda, Matthew Everhart, Whitney Rachel, Wesley McCormick; (Front Row L-R) Sheri Eaton, Yameka Hall, Lori Wade, Wesley Tatem, Tanner Medley, Allen Herrington, Maressa Loman.



NBHS Senior Band Members...(Back Row L-R) Jenna Howell, Amber Adams, Shawn Brown, Amy Rogers, Whitney Reid; (Front



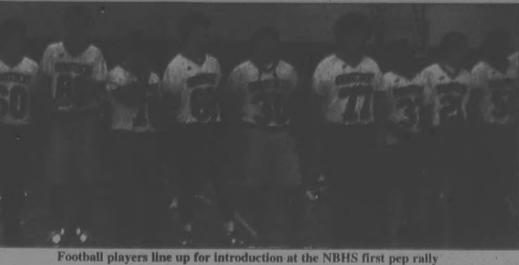
FFA members display information at the recent NBHS Club Fair. where students were encouraged to join. (Back Row L-R) David Anderson, John Sawyer; (Front Row L-R) Drew Donaldson, Chelsea Wood and Whitney Donaldson.

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Juniors Hilary Mock and Blake Drewery participate in the Junior Class Ring Ceremony.

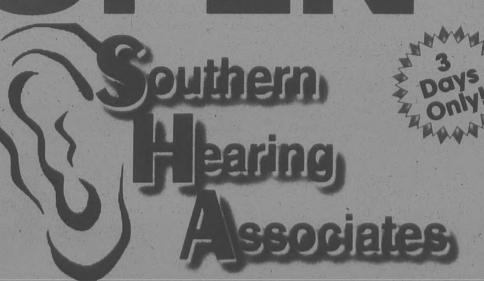




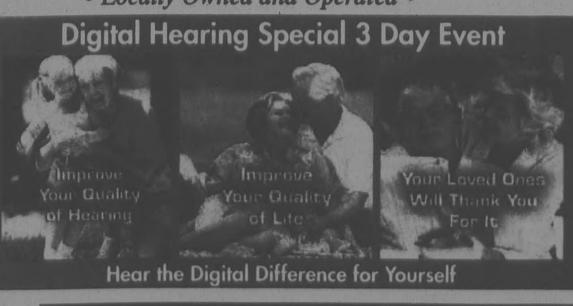


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had asked to be given time to restore the slot and return its use to Coffee County.

The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

In other matters, the commis

\* Approved senior citizen enter policy renewals. \* Upon the recommendation of county engineer Randy

Tindell, renewed a contract with Donnell Trucking for another of Tindell, awarded the striping

bid to Ozark Striping.

\* Upon the recommendation Tindell, approved a motion t



with a second from Stephens to

Herby McCall, left, begins stacking sand bags filled by City of trucks and motorcycles from all class, for the club with the most istration form, please contact the give HRDC a chance to restore Elba employees Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 14, in preparation of across the Wiregrass Region and participation, and for the oldest park office at 334-794-3452 the slot to be used in Coffee Hurricane Ivan's visit to the local area later in the week. The city beyond will roll into Dothan, vehicle registered. County. If not, the county will employees spent a majority of the day Tuesday making preparations Alabama on Saturday, Oct. 2, The car show is hosted by the U.S. Highway 431, three miles





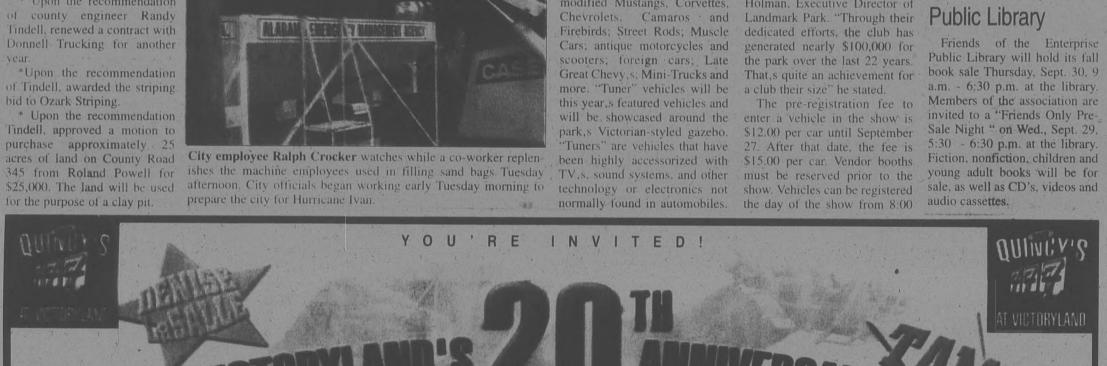
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take the spot back to use at it's for the storm and any potential damage it might leave behind. 2004 for the 22nd Annual Wiregrass Antique and north of Dothan, s Ross Clark

Over 150 yehicles are expected at to be on display in 45 differ- Collector Car Club does a Fall book sale to be ent classes. The 45 classes tremendous job putting on this include A-Models; antique and show each year", stated William held at Enterprise modified Mustangs, Corvettes, Holman, Executive Director of

Antique and collector cars. Awards will be given in each until 11:30am. To receive a reg-

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Friday, September 17

9:00 p.m. (approximately) Free outdoor concert Denise LaSalle "Queen of the Blues" Free soft drinks and \$1 beer outside

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Plasma TV drawings 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. – Midnight - 1:00 a.m. - 2:00 a.m.

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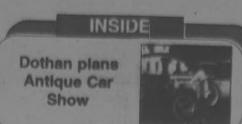
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# Hurricane Ivan delivers destructive path across state and county

Coffee County damages exceed an estimated \$1 million

by Linda Hodge, Editor After days of anticipation, Hurricane Ivan made its way through Alabama last Thursday, Sept. 17, leaving a very noticeable path of destruction.

The local area escaped the worst of the storm; however, damages of more than \$1 million were realized in Coffee County.

According to Coffee County Emergency Management Agency director John Tallas, the county experienced approximately \$1,028,430 in damages

Tallas said personal property damages also were experienced. Management Agency) on an, trees and power lines were Cooperative still had a few cusindividual basis under the cateknocked down by high winds tomers without power in the by Linda Hodge, Editor gory of individual assistance. He said anyone that had personal property damaged as a result moved. of Hurricane Ivan should call prepared to wait as the agency is was in pretty good shape in As of Tuesday, the American extremely busy with teams regards to electrical power by working from the most seriously damaged counties to the least

damaged. Tallas said the damage in Coffee County was primarily limited to debris, power outages and loss of food from refrigerators and freezers for those who did not have generators.

'I think we all should agree we were blessed," Tallas said. He said there were some homes that received more damage than others with trees falling on them, but the majority of the county's residents escaped without major damage.

Hurricane Ivan, a category four hurricane, made landfall at Gulf Shores, Ala., around 1:30 a.m. last Thursday morning and spent the majority of the day making its way through the state. The storm was so big and strong, it spent nearly 12 hours over land before it was downsized to a tropical storm.

Although the worst weather for Coffee County was experifor Coffee County was experied on top of a house located on County Regul 418. According to local regularity the house was represented in County Regul 418. enced during the early hours of ed on top of a house located on County Road 418. According to local residents, the homeowner was not Thursday morning, rain and at home when the tree fell; however, a neighbor who lives in a mobile home was staying in the house during the storm for safety purposes. Fortunately, no one was injured.

## Elba board of education approves Fiscal Year 2005 capital plan chase generators for the communication system found no city streets were reviewed and by Ferrin Cox, Publisher two years includes Roofing repairs at the high school; erotold board members that the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated. He high school and the shortage of cash, the local board used exactly as allocated.

Volunteer Paul Morrow is shown assisting evacuees.

The Elba City School Board sion prevention on the entire much harder graduation exam is legally responsible to pay added that they have just other bidder was Wiregrass September meeting included hiring a Special Education Aide, ments at the high school; comhiring a Special Education Aide, me approving the fiscal year 2005 puter upgrades at both schools; dents improved from a 61 per- lot should be completed in about lightening strike. Capital Plan, paying the bills replace some carpet in elemen- cent passing grade to a 90 per- two months. This is being The department is moving City Clerk Wayne Grantham and routine announcements. tary school; repair high school cent rate . . . with three more financed with state funds which forward with a grant applica- reported that city departments Kevin Kelley was approved auditorium roof leaks; and the years of high school left. can only be used for buildings, tion for \$15,000 to purchase had made all the preparations additional paved parking lot at Tenth grade students passing busses, etc. three to four additional video possible in anticipation of The Capital Plan for the next the high school.

achieved Business/Industry cer- their reading. tification. Weeks said this is an excellent program, largely due o the efforts of Mrs. Ingrid

Crawford.

ance should end the fiscal year were activated following October 1st with the two month operating balance strongly demanded by the state department of education. Weeks told board members this is necessary for several reasons, including The American Red Cross operated a shelter at the Elba the fact payrolls must be paid on Elementary School for citizens seeking shelter during the bad weath- preset dates and the state educaer brought to the area by Hurricane Ivan last Thursday, Sept. 16. The tion funds are rarely received volunteers on site. The shelter closed at 4 p.m. Thursday afternoon. pared for the reoccurring prora-

tions of the state budgets.

the test increased in every cate-gory, which include reading, notice that air conditioners at Whitworth added.

Hurricane Ivan.

Councilman

Accreditation, board members The administration is plan- where the new ball fields were The city council set a workning an "Academic Pep Rally" planned. Grimes recommended shop for September 20th to go The Business/Marketing pro- to encourage elementary stu- that the project application be over early drafts of the 2005 gram at Elba High School dents to continue improving withdrawn until a complete budget. An organizational meet-

Clark and Mrs. Martha The general fund bank bal- Elba National Guard unit orricane Ivan's destruction roughout Alabama. According to unit leaders, ore than 30 members of the unit have been deployed to rious counties in the westcived the most dame shelter opened Wednesday evening. According to reports, 105 people sought shelter at the school during the storm. There were also 20 local school boards must be pre-



to public buildings and infraThe home of Doug Holderfield, located on Highland Drive in Hurricane Ivan wreaked havoc on the area last Thursday, Sept. 16. The back side of the hanger blew structure including utilities, Elba, received extensive damages as Hurricane Ivan's winds through the front and a majority of the roof is gone. Everything stored inside the hanger was scattered with the two planes shown above also being blown outside. Like many other places throughout the wind gusts remained throughout percent of power had been county, business owner Mike Haynes began the clean up process on Friday.

# but those will be handled by FEMA (Federal Emergency Females) FEMA (Federal Emergency Females) Females (Federal Emergency Females) Females

causing county roads to be northern part of the county closed until debris could be Tuesday morning. Also, he said lots of time early last week plan- pare us for the destruction." Hurricane Ivan's destructive there were some isolated issues ning and preparing for Hurricane Grimes said he was extremely path, Grimes said Elba was also Also, many county residents within the county where electriIvan's eventual visit, and when proud of the city's employees. very fortunate not to get more FEMA at (800) 621-3362; howhowever Tallus said the county individual issues

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Tallus said the county individual issues was ready for the task at hand. hard to get things back in order storm, he said the City of Elba "Our employees responded from clearing debris from road-received almost six inches of

Tuesday afternoon of this week. Please See IVAN, Page 11 storm," Elba Mayor James Grimes said many of the On Friday, Sept. 24 (tomor-

Wednesday night until Thursday Grimes said several business

cent of the city. removal ahead of us," Grimes destructive visit. and we ask the citizens to be employees.

effort with everyone working patient during this process." together, and the planning we ... Other than being fortunate to

Grimes said. "It was a total team 'employees worked 15-16 hours row), the Elba Chamber of . a day for several days while Commerce will host an apprecisome electrical and water ation lunch for city employees at department employees worked the Elba Fire Department from almost 24 hours from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

leaders discussed this with As of Tuesday, the mayor said chamber and felt it important to the city's electric department show the employees how much had restored power to 100 per- the people of Elba appreciate everything they did to get things "We still have a lot of debris back to normal following Ivan's

said. "Our employees are using The mayor and chamber offithree vehicles trying to move the cials encourage everyone to stop debris as quickly as possible, by and say thanks to the

### Elba City Council approves bid for resurfacing of several streets

The Elba City Council busi- director to set the long range ness for September 13th was plans for the department. conducted in a businesslike The council approved a reso manner and without dispute. lution allowing the mayor and Chief R. W. Whitworth city clerk to sign papers

language, science, math and the school buildings are begin- Mayor James Grimes report- Hammond asked that the street ning to give problems and may ed that FEMA was questioning department check some storm The Elba School system has soon need replacing. The units the installation of bathrooms on drainage problems in Mulberry again achieved SACS are about 14 years old. the Smith Avenue property Heights.

ation facilities is completed. He scheduled for September 21st.

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher then wants to hold a council workshop with the recreation

reported that a recent audit of requesting a \$450,000 down-

review of the available recre- ing of the new city council was

# Area Happenings

THE 2004 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON contin Friday, Sept. 24, with the Elba Tigers hosting the Luverne Tigers.
Also, New Brockton will travel to Pleasant Home, Kinston will host Samson, Zion Chapel will host St. Jude and Brantley will travel to Highland Home.

ZION CHAPEL PTO will meet Thursday, Sept. 23, at 6 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

ELBA HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING PARADE will be October 8, at 3:00 p.m. - to submit entries please contact Elba igh School @ 897-2266.